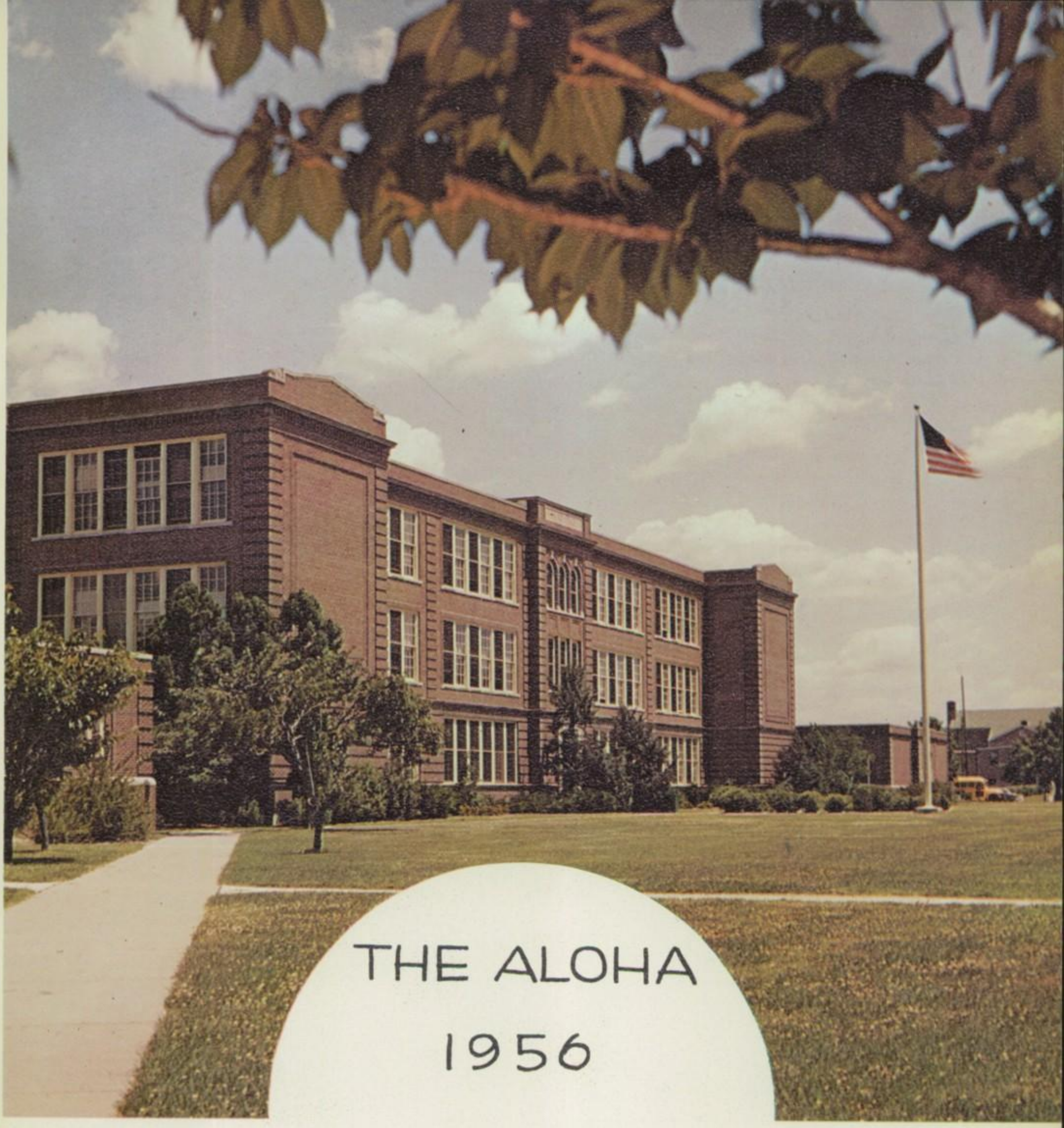
THE Aloha

Kenny East



THE ALOHA

1956

Let our voices loudly ringing
Echo far and near
Songs of praise for Seaford High School
And to memory dear.

Dedication

We dedicate this yearbook to Mrs. Hallman, our school nurse, who has seen us through years of aches and pains, exultations and defeats, and finally our graduation into the independence of the adult world.

Mrs. Hallman has helped us not only when we were physically ill, but again when our hearts were heavy and our spirits low. She has been a guiding light for us and this institution.

Her crisp white uniform and comforting aura have earned her the respect and admiration of this Class of 1956.

MRS. HALLMAN

Kenneth C. Madden

To the Class of 1956

Your class has been one of the hardest working and best organized classes I have ever known and you are to be congratulated for this. My fondest hope would be that this has become a characteristic of each of you. I am sure that those of you who have worked the hardest have done so because you liked to and I venture to say that you are also the ones who have enjoyed high school most. This matter of liking your work and enjoying life is the thought I want to leave with you for they go almost hand in hand. I can assure you that if you do not like your work, be it housekeeping or engineering, you will not be happy and it will reflect in everything you do. Of all the things I might wish for you, I could hope for no finer thing than that you might find just the right kind of job for yourself, for to me success and happiness are dependent upon this. We, your faculty, hope that we have helped you in this regard.

Our best wishes go with you always and may you live up to the high standards we have set for graduates of Seaford High School.

Kenneth C. Madden

KENNETH C. MADDEN
Superintendent of Schools

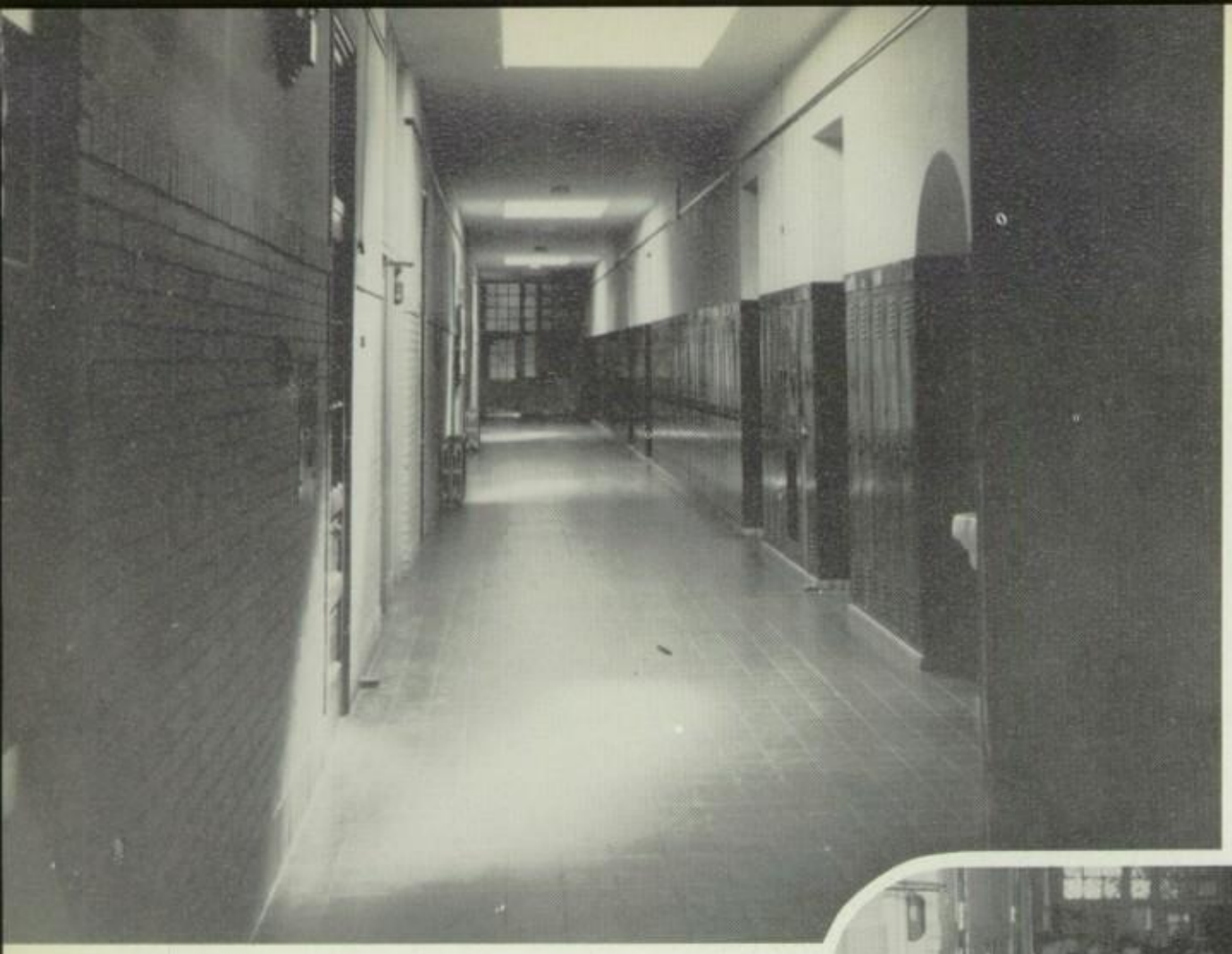
To the Class of 1956

It is with pleasure that I congratulate the Class of 1956 upon the completion of their secondary schooling. The excellent spirit of cooperation and the willing sharing of responsibility in all class projects has been much in evidence during your years in school. I know that many of you will continue your education in colleges, nursing schools and business schools, but for many of you this will be the last formal education which you will receive. I hope that we have given you a good background in academic learning, but I hope that we have also given you a will and desire to get along with people, to try a little harder when the tasks become difficult, and to maintain a sense of humor throughout your life. From my contacts with the Class of 1956 I feel that we have succeeded admirably in the above objectives, and I'm sure that this class will be a credit to Seaford High School.

Edward J. Moynihan

EDWARD J. MOYNIHAN
High School Principal

All the days we've been together
Fondly we recall,
Days of fair or stormy weather
Thou has gladden'd all.



At 6:30 the halls
are deserted

Friends meet in the halls
before the first bell

At 8:30 the buses
arrive

Morning meditations
start the day

There's a buzz of activity
just before class begins

But someone is
always late

Analysis in
Chemistry

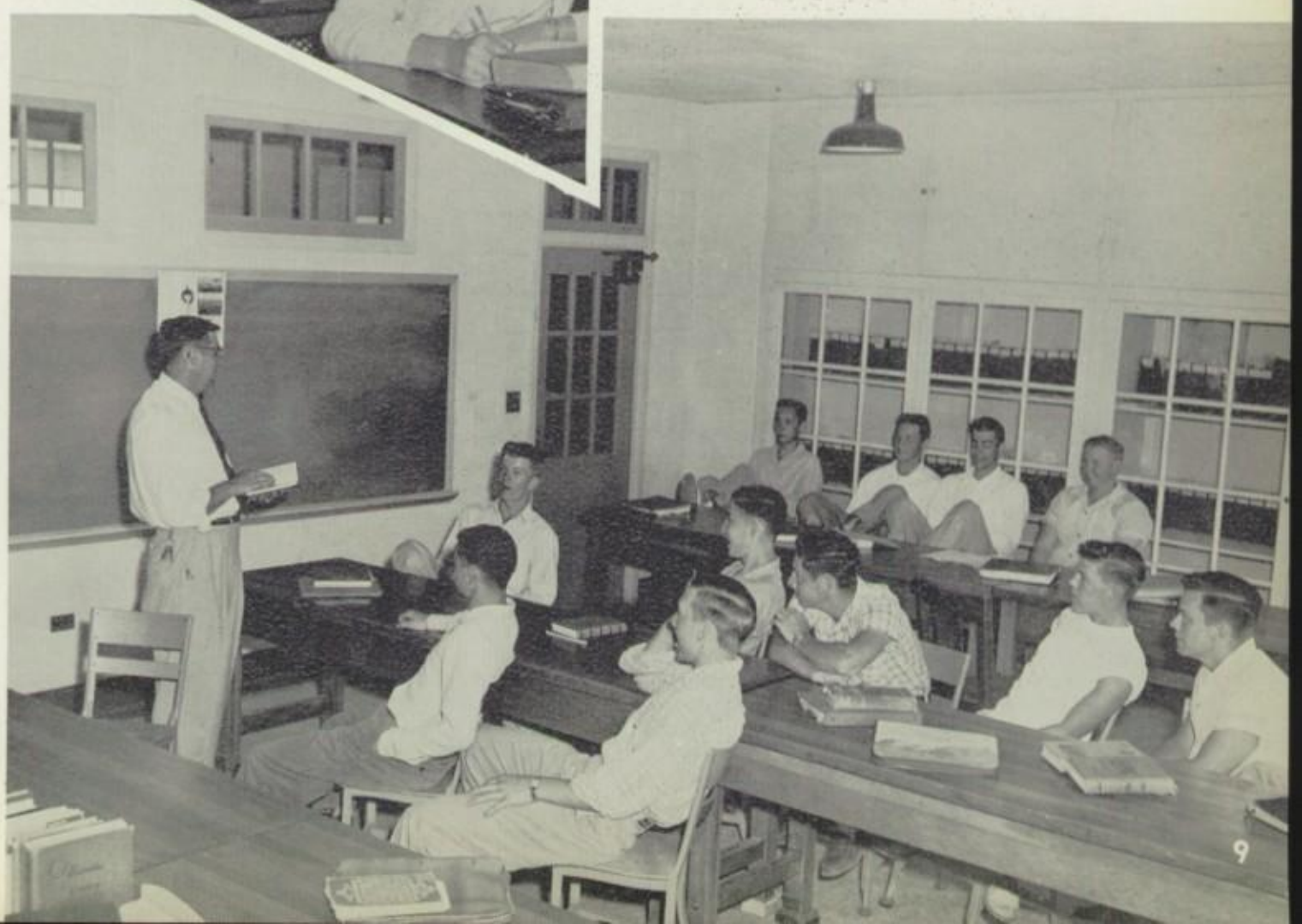
Nature comes into the
classroom in
Biology

A journey across
the sea in
French

Homemakers learn to make finishing touches in decorating

Bookkeeping

There are courses for the future farmer



Amo, amas, amot begins the day for some . . .

while others learn the rudiments of Math

Exercising in Physical Education

The past becomes present
in History

English in
its most
complicated
form

Girls' Gym

Typing brings a speed test

A familiar sight,
our school nurse

At 12:45 the lunch bell rings

Assemblies break the monotony of class routine

Some manage
to sleep . . .

and sometimes there's a need for discipline

3:15 and the
school day is
over for many . . .

while others
remain overtime
and work on the
"Bluejay"

Appreciation

To you, Mr. Royal, advisor and leader of our Yearbook staff, we offer our appreciation of your service and class spirit.

We will not forget your efforts and work to make this publication possible; for without your aid this undertaking would have been seriously hindered. Your friendly smile and helpful hand have lifted our burdens and chins as well when the going was difficult.

Good luck and thank you, Mr. Royal, from the staff and Class of 1956.

MR. ROYAL

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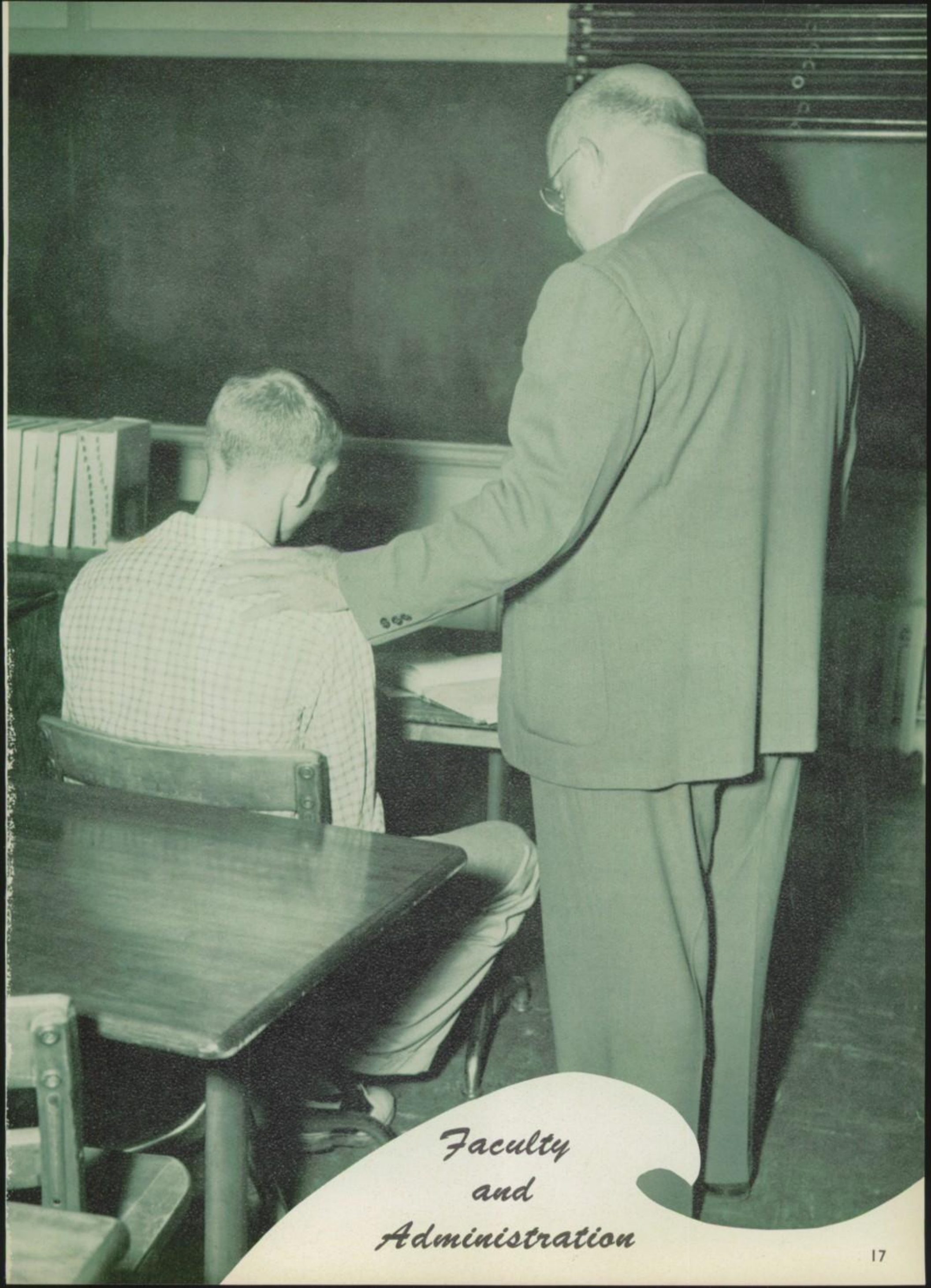

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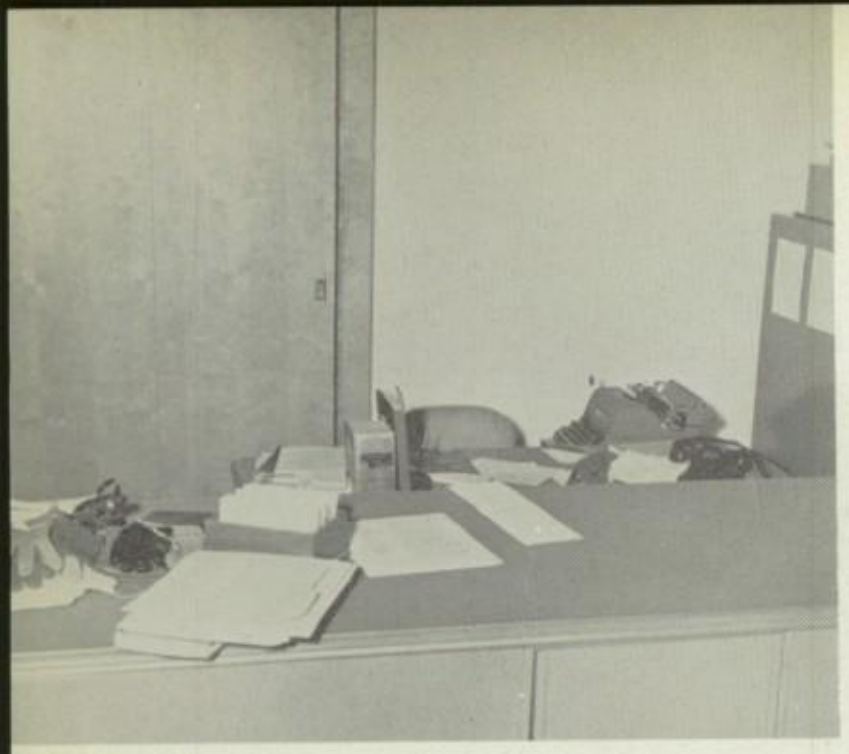
School Improvements

With the many improvements and additions made in our school during the summer, we, the student body, pride ourselves in being members of our S.H.S.



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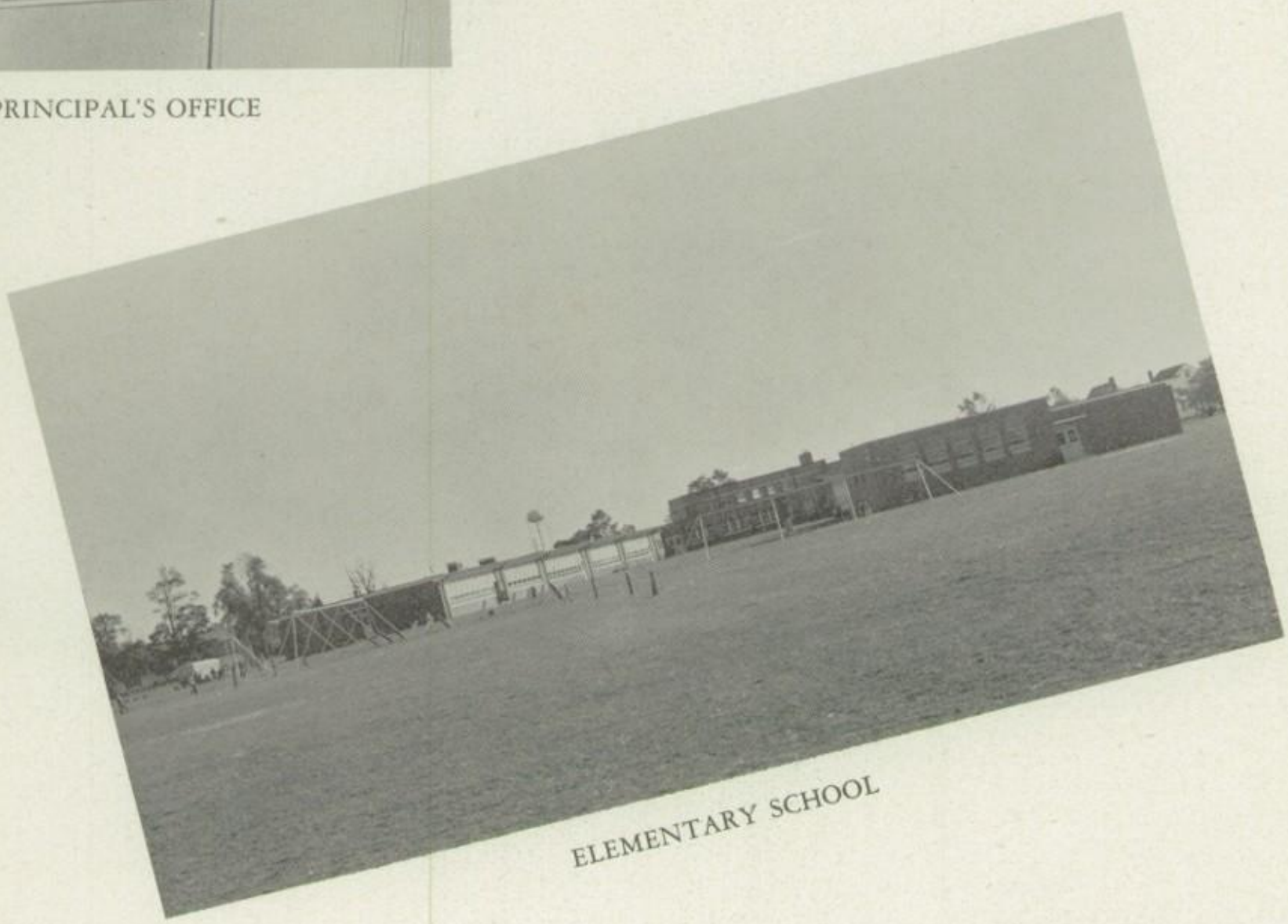

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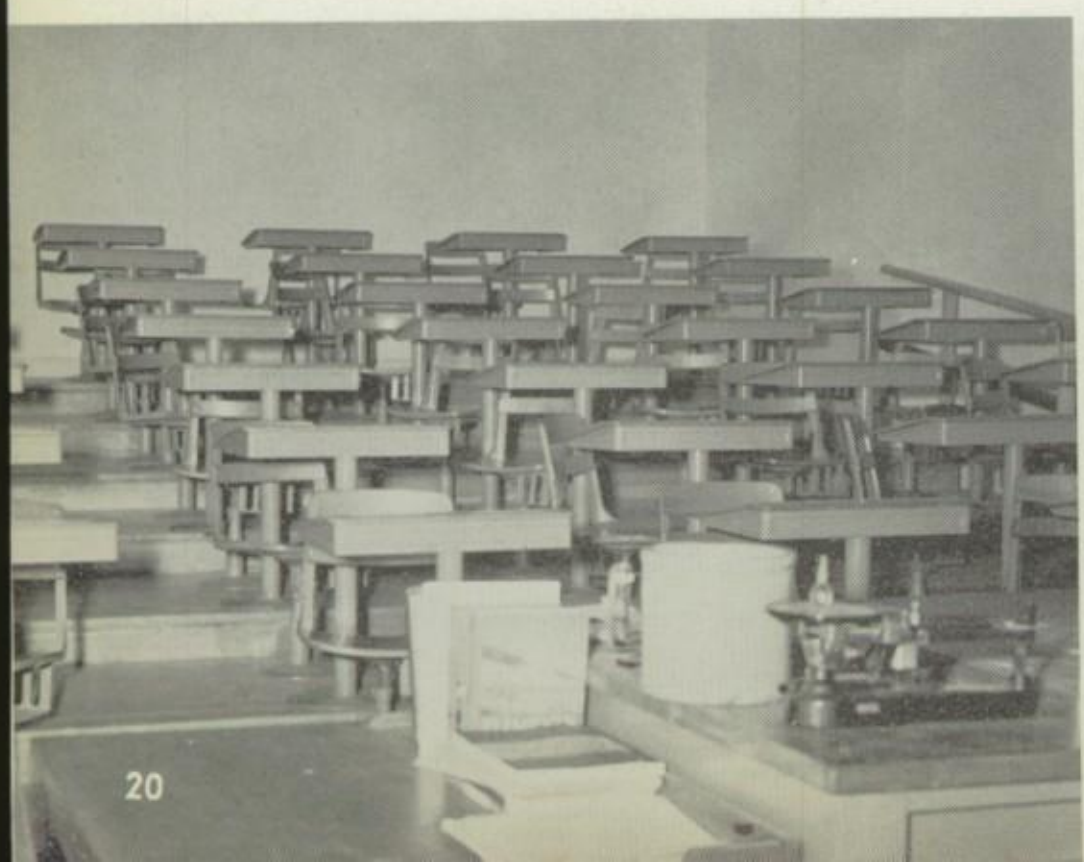

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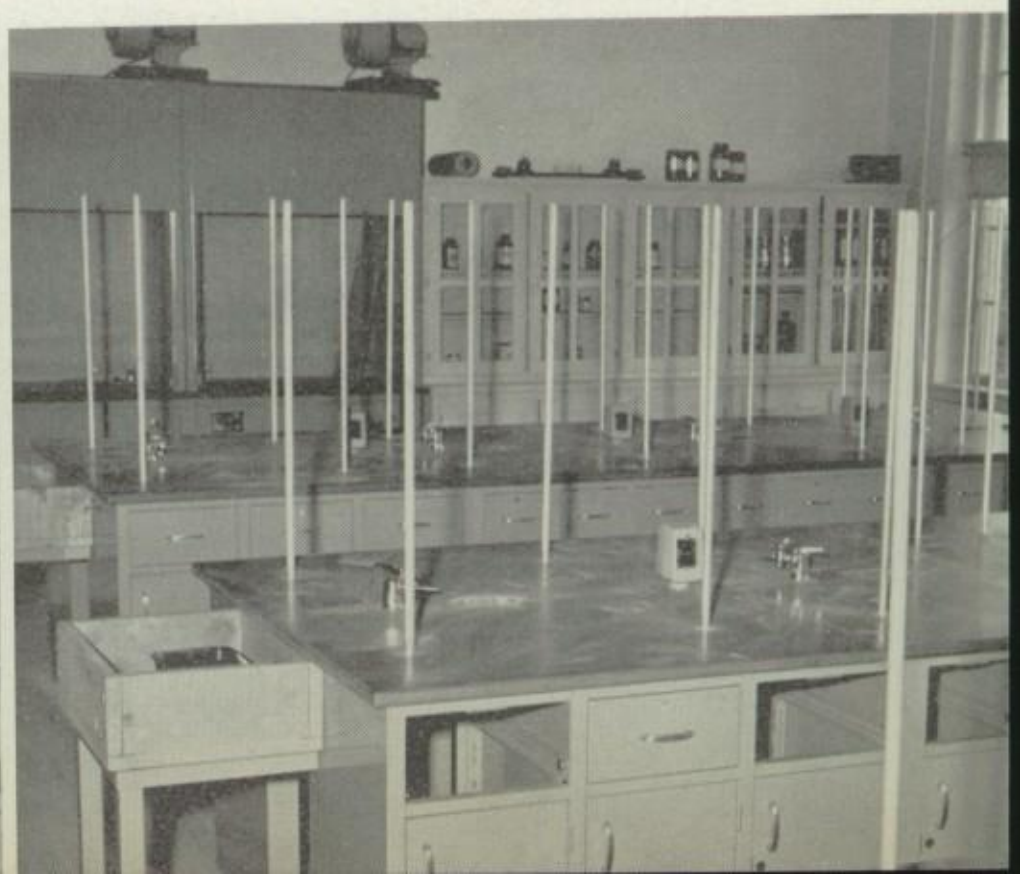

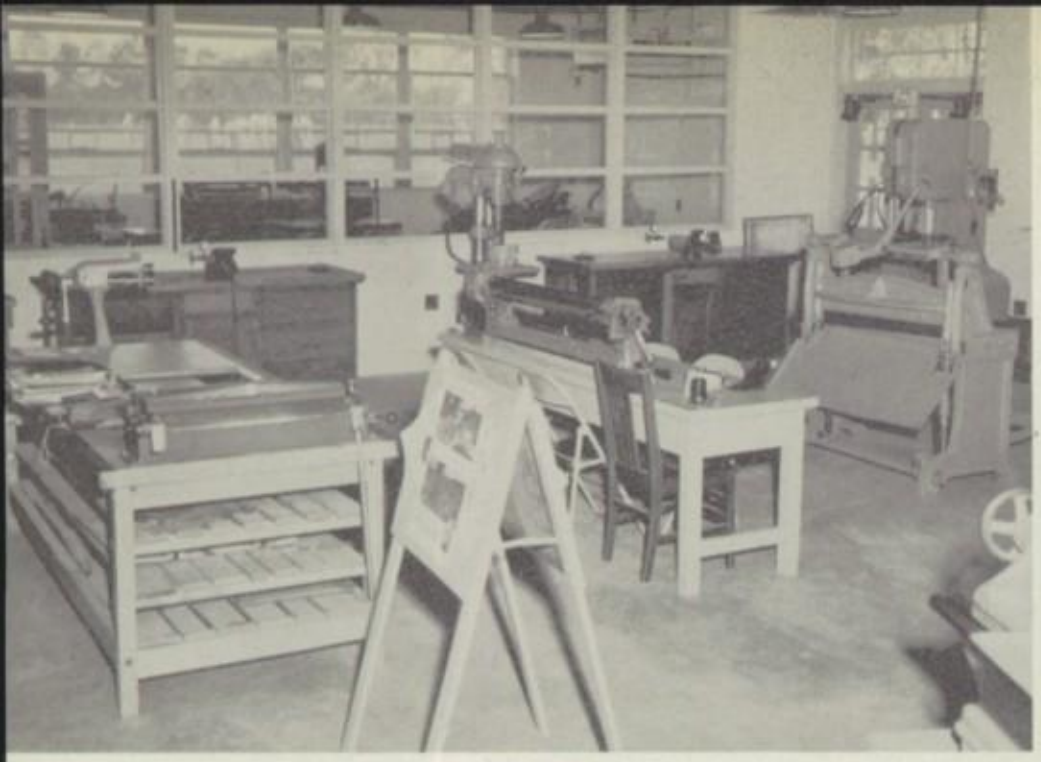

NEW SHOP

HOME ECONOMICS

LIBRARY

ORGAN

SOUND
SYSTEM

Our Faculty

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Campbell, Mrs. Fallon, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. Hewitt.

MATH DEPARTMENT

Mr. Royal, Mrs. Handy, Mr. Pauley, Mrs. Bowling.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Miss Phillips, Mr. Dowd.

They were our guiding light through many trying and happy moments. Endless hours were spent after school helping us accomplish work we couldn't quite do during the class hour. They stayed until the very last after our dances to help clean-up when the fun was over . . .

HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Mr. Ellis, Mr. Miller, Mrs. Radding, Mr. Wheatly.

LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Koelker, Miss Vincent, Mrs. Morris (not present).

We will never forget the co-operation and friendliness you, Our Faculty, have shown us. Your guiding light not only led us in our academic learning but also helped us as we tried to make the most of our lives.

We hope that by our continuing to do the best we possibly can, we will be able to repay you for all you have been and will be in the many years to come.

BUSINESS EDUCATION

Miss Berry, Mrs. Wright.

Our Faculty

HOME ECONOMICS
AGRICULTURE

Mrs. Miller, Mr. O'Day, Mrs. Smowberger.

SHOP DEPARTMENT

Mr. Phillips, Mr. Fenstermaker.

Lots of Luck
Mr. Fenstermaker

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Seniors of 1956

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Secretary
JIM TRICE
Historian
(Absent)
FREDDIE MINER
Treasurer

CLASS COLORS
Green and White

CLASS FLOWER
White Rose

CLASS MOTTO

We are able because
we think we are able.

Class Of 1956

Senior Sponsors

MRS. ELZEY

MR. KOELKER

MRS. BOWLING

Dear Alf,

You came to us as a stranger to visit us, to see us, to learn from us, and to teach us. You have known us in victory and defeat; in good times and bad; known us as small town citizens and as world citizens.

We hope that you have found something about us to admire, something which you will want to remember. You have helped *us* to understand Scandinavia and "your people." You have even made us wonder if all Swedes have such industry as you have shown! You have taught us that "a job worth doing is worth doing well." And how quietly you taught us this truth.

Each of us has profited by knowing you and realize somewhat better that all peoples are brothers. We shall miss you, but we shall have fond memories.

Our best wishes for *your* future,

THE CLASS OF 1956

Kenny
To a good
little boy that
works had at the
canteen. Don't give
too many free drinks
away.
Marvin

MARVIN EVERETT ADAMS

Wit does not take the place of knowledge.

Football 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 3, 4
Basketball 1
Scenery Club 4
Hi-Y 3

Marvin . . . Sharp and keen with a brand of humor all his own . . . an asset to the class . . . His friendly smile and merry wink are welcome sights anytime . . . He has the spirit to match his humor.

Kenny
To that neat
"little" guy who
works so hard at
the canteen. Always keep
that friendly way and you
will have many friends.
Best of luck and have loads of
fun in school. A friend always
Jo Jo

JO ANN ALLEN

A loyal companion, an excellent friend, an earnest worker, and true to the end.

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Blue Jay 2, 3, 4
Yearbook Typist 4
Junior Class Play 3
Library Assistant 4
Secretary of Canteen 3, 4
Senior Play 4
County Chorus 4

Jo Jo . . . A bundle of helpfulness for all who ask . . . A friendly girl with a loving heart . . . Always cheering for her Alma Mater.

Kenny -
Best of luck
to Marvin at the
canteen.
Bob

ROBERT LEE ALLEN

As he thinketh in his heart, so is he.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2
Baseball 1, 2, 3
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3
Honor Society 2
Class Secretary 2
Class Historian 3
Scenery Club 4

Bob . . . "The ladies' man" . . . A fine sportsman . . . Attracts the girls with his curly hair and red vests.

Kenny
To the soft-drink boy
at the canteen.
Good Luck
Bob
Bennett

ROBERT CHARLES BENNETT

If fun is good, truth is still better, and love best of all.

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Vice President of Class 2
Football 3
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1
Ben-Ball . . . Is full of fun . . . A cheering spectator in sports . . . A sharp drummer and true friend.

Kenny
Loads of luck to a real
nice boy. Study hard
next year. Always remember
the Class of '56.
Be good
Sandy

SANDRA MARIE BENNETT

Politeness costs nothing and gains everything.

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Library Assistant 1, 2, 3, 4
Blue Jay 3, 4
Class Representative 3, 4
Latin Banquet 1, 2
Sandy . . . Sweet and good . . . Loves people and animals, especially horses . . . Beautiful clothes . . . Very helpful and always present when needed.

Kenny, Sweet
Do-Do
little boy with
cute freckles. Don't
go on a diet!
Be good!
Butch

ANN BLOODSWORTH

Fortune helps the bold.

Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Cheerleading 2, 3, 4
Butch . . . Full of fun but always willing to lend a helping hand . . . Loves sports almost as much as a good time.

Ken
To Ken East—
Bowest young man
Best of Luck
"Dick"

RICHARD BAYNE BOTDORF

Laugh and the world laughs with you.

Football 2, 3, 4
Track 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Junior Class Play 3
Senior Class Play 4
County Chorus 3, 4
Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4

Dick . . . Sports, acting, singing, clowning, and studying make the well rounded person that Dick is . . . His light-heartedness and ever ready grin make him a great guy.

KATHLEEN DOLORES BOYCE

Mischief is where you find it, especially if she's behind it.

Dramatics Club 3
Mixed Chorus 2, 4
Prom Committee 3
Senior Class Play 4
Art Club 2
Softball Team 1

Kay . . . Bursting with a sense of humor, is a plus to her class . . . Ever ready to laugh and be merry, she seeks happiness as a poor man seeks wealth.

Merry
Take care
In school
and be
good and
remember
me
Bob

ROBERT FRANKLIN CHAFFINCH

Nothing is rarer than true good nature.

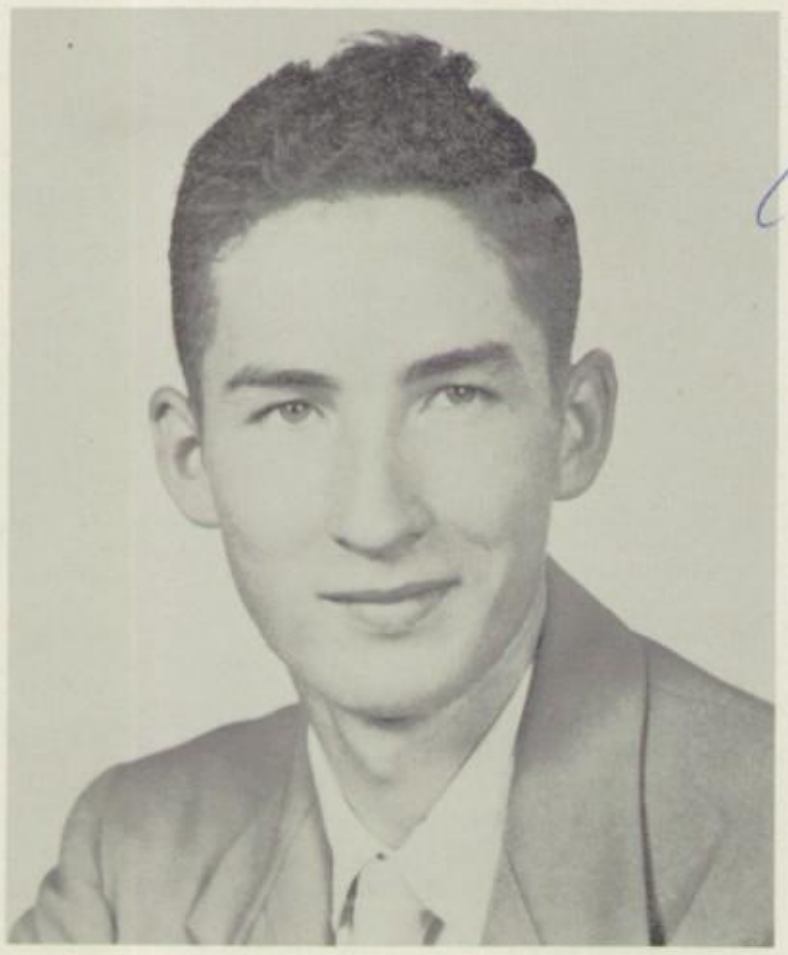
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 3, 4
Basketball 1
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Movie Projectionist 1, 2

Crazylegs . . . Will be remembered for his tallness!? . . . One of the heroes of our football team . . . Always joking, full of fun.

PAUL EDWARD CLARK

Oh, it is excellent to have a giant's strength.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 3, 4
Gym Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Hi-Y 1
President of Canteen 4
Paul . . . A leader in sports, especially football . . . Carefree and full of fun . . . A pillar of strength in gym.

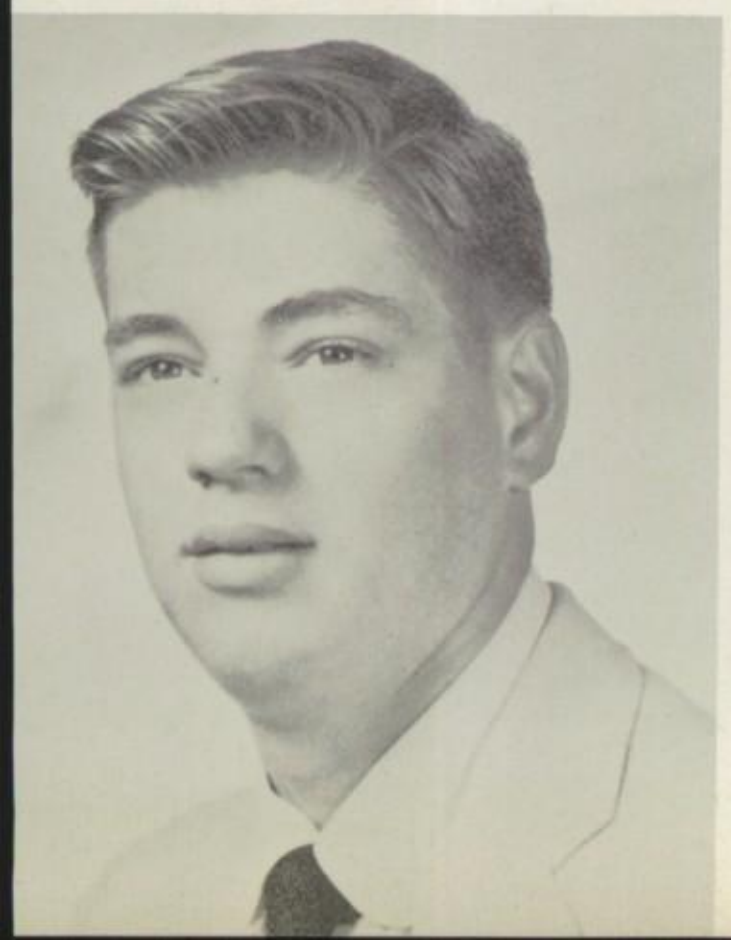


Kenny
Best of Luck
& hold down the canteen
for me — Andy

ANDREW CONAWAY, JR.

It seems so easy to be good natured, I wonder anybody takes the trouble to be anything else.

Scenery Club 4
Basketball 4
Treasurer of FFA 3
Hi-Y 3
Andy . . . Tall, good-natured, and courteous . . . Very quiet, but has many friends . . . The wisest of men know when to keep quiet.



JOHN NICHOLS COVEY

I like work; it fascinates me; I can sit and look at it for hours.

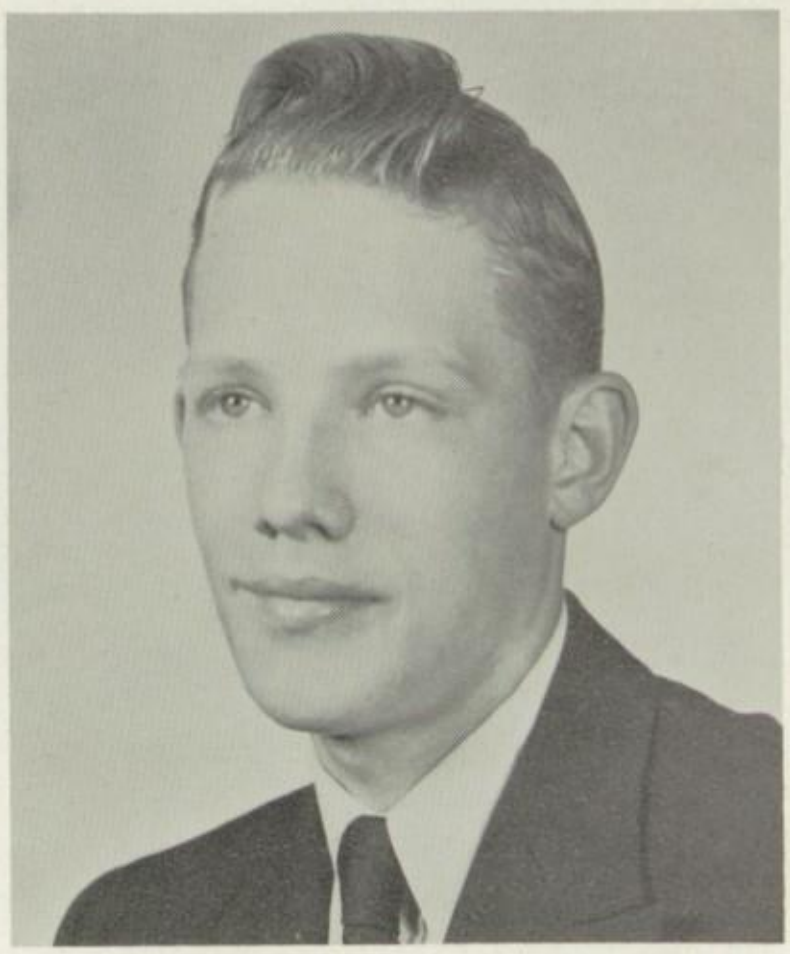
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Intramural Sports 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
County Chorus 3, 4
Athletic Club 1
Flash . . . Drives his black Plymouth like a flash . . . Likes Manning's . . . Can sleep anywhere, even in storeroom corners.

Kenney,
Take care & school
Best of Luck
"Jack"
P. S.
Be Good

Ruth Eileen Curfman

She keeps her true self for her true friends.

Basketball 2
Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4
County Chorus
Chorus
Church Choir 1, 2, 3, 4
Babe . . . Art-career-minded . . . Can really draw and paint well . . . Always has a jolly smile . . . Beautiful eyelashes . . . Loves to study? . . . The gal with the roller skate mania.



Earl Robinson David

You can take the boy out of the country, but you can't take the country out of the boy.

Scenery Club 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3
FFA 1, 2, 3, 4
Sentry of FFA 1
Football, Baseball 1
FFA Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Will be remembered as a happy-go-lucky kid with a ready laugh and a joke . . . Remembered as gruesome Jonathan in the Junior play.

Judith Ann Dennis

Forever singing as she shines.

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Blue Jay (Typist) 4
State Chorus 2, 3, 4
County Chorus 2, 3, 4
Junior Play 3
Senior Play 4
Aloha (Typist) 4
Judy . . . A bright light is Judy . . . With a gentle grace that becomes all she does . . . A real actress in both of our class plays . . . Can really hit those high notes.

Barbara Ellen Dukes

A shy face is better than a forward heart.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4
Information 3, 4
Barbara . . . A steadfast friend that's there even though sometimes she can't be heard . . . She always does her share and many times part of the other fellow's, too.

Anne Carole Dunaway

Sincere and true, she strives in all her best to do.

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Hockey, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Cheerleading 3, 4
Junior Play 3
Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Blue Jay 1, 2, 3, 4
Editor of Blue Jay 4
County Chorus 3, 4
Class Secretary 3
Aloha Staff 4
Tri-Hi-Y Officer 2, 3, 4
Dunny . . . One of the guiding lights of our class . . . Her endeavors to make friends and keep peace have awarded her the honor of "Miss Class of '56."

Maynard Spotswood Eaton

Great men are sincere.

Vice President Student Council 4
Student Council 1, 4
Hi-Y Club Officer 2, 3
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball, Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Aloha Staff 4
Class Historian 2
Class Treasurer 3
Flag Bearer 4
Maynard . . . Both in Maynard's work and his pleasure does he show sincerity to do the best . . . His manners prove him to be a "regular fellow" . . . Played a great game of football in the quarterback position.

Kenny,
Best of luck in the future. I'll always protect you!!? Take care of the women.
Maynard

Joan Marie Fluharty

Good humor is always a success.

Blue Jay 2, 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Junior Class Play 3
Honor Society 3
Perfect Attendance 10 Years
Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4

Joan . . . Her smile reflects her personality . . . One of the quietest and nicest girls in our class . . . Makes friends very easily and has loads of them . . . Has the steady habit.

Margaret Ann Foard

A sweet expression is the highest type of female loveliness.

Art Club 2
Honor Society 2, 4
Band 3, 4
Dance Band 4
County Band 4
Tri-Hi-Y 3
Basketball and Softball 3

Ann . . . The quiet, cute gal with a smile for everyone . . . Will succeed in all she attempts . . . That's Ann's "hot" saxophone in the Dance Band.

Good luck, Kenny. Have fun in high school. Gail

Gail Elizabeth Foster

To love the beautiful, to desire the good, to do the best.

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Blue Jay 2, 3, 4
FTA 3
Chorus Member 1, 2, 3
Chorus Accompanist 4
All-State Chorus 2, 3
County Chorus 3, 4
Co-Editor Yearbook 4
Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Class Play 4

Gail . . . Gifted with a nice voice and ability to play piano . . . Accompanies the chorus . . . Always calm and collected and full of fun . . . Co-Editor of the yearbook.

Kenny,
Best of luck always to a cute guy. Be good and take care of BHS.
Always,
Sandy

SANDRA ELIZABETH FRIEDEL

Nothing is more silly than silly laughter

Nurse's Aid 2, 4
Dramatic Club 3
Tri-Hi-Y 2
Cheerleading Club 1
Band 2, 3, 4
Chorus 2, 3, 4
Blue Jay Staff 1, 2, 4
Junior Class Play 3

Sandy . . . Full of fun and rippling over with sunshine . . . Bounces through life and school with a laugh for the hilarious and a grin for the humorous.

Kenny -
Best wishes to you
Kenny, be good and
don't work too hard.
Love in luck
Barb

BARBARA JANE FRY

I am most fond of talking and thinking; that is to say, talking first and thinking afterwards.

Hockey 1
Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3
Dramatics Club 4
FTA 4
Gym Assistant 4
Class Play Properties 4

Barbara . . . Always on the go . . . here, there, everywhere . . . If you need help, call on Barbara.

Kenny
Best of luck
Be good
Alan

THOMAS ALAN GLOVER

The first step to greatness is to be honest.

Football 4
FFA 2, 3, 4
Agr. Basketball 2, 3, 4
Hi-Y 4
Gym Club 3

Alan . . . The extra-point kicker in football . . . A real "booter" . . . Quiet and red-headed but doesn't have the temper to match it.

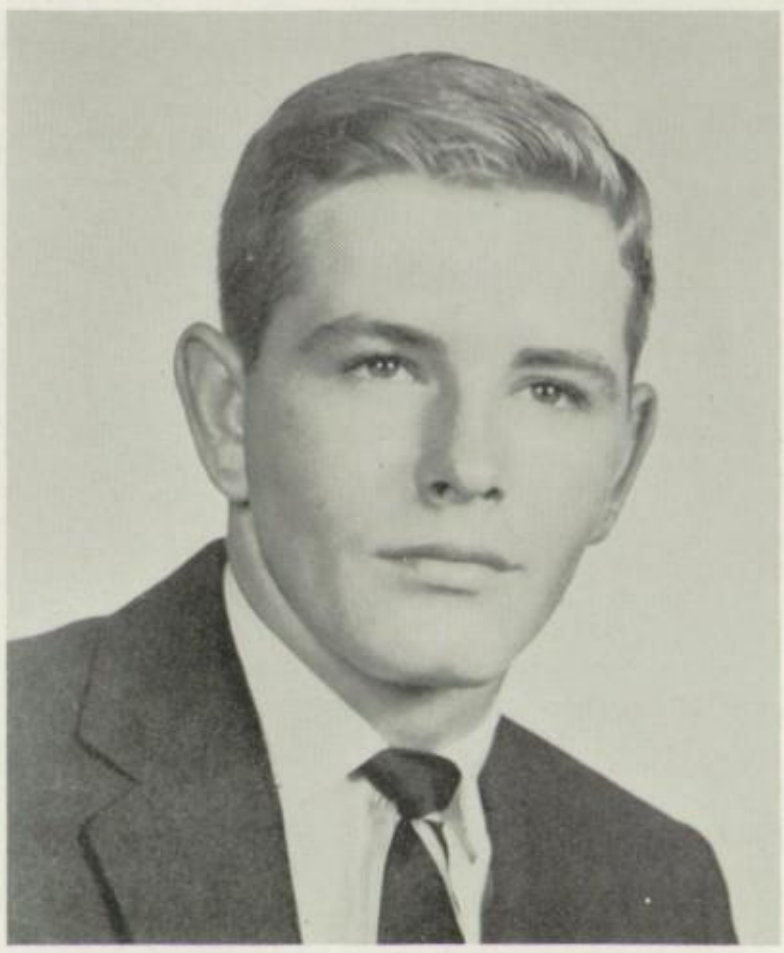
KATHERINE RUTH GRIFFITH

A merry heart does good like a medicine.

FHA 1, 2, 3

Ruthie . . . Blue-eyed and blonde . . . Will be remembered for her long pretty pony tail . . . Always ready with a helping hand . . . Usually seen in a red and white Oldsmobile.

Mercy
Good luck to you in the future.
Be sure and give all the girls a break
Dave



DAVID MICHAEL GROSH

There is only one proof of ability, action.

Student Council 1
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
President of Hi-Y 1
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Class President 1

Dave . . . A great guy in his own right . . . Top notch in sports . . . The 56 contribution to the All-State Football team.

Kenny
To an old neighbor
Lots of luck in the future.
Rosie

ROSEMARY GULLETT

True artists are the only persons who do their work with pleasure.

Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 4
Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Officer of Tri-Hi-Y 2, 4

Rosie . . . With happiness Rosie supports every task . . . To have fun and make sounds is Rosie's supreme . . . Plus her talent with a pencil.

Kenny: Best luck and wishes always.

Alf Gustar Evert Gustafsson

Private sincerity is a public welfare.

President of Photography Club 2, 3
Vice President of Sports Club 2, 3
Track 3, 4
Gym Club 4
Alfalfa . . . A real student . . . Always ready to help . . . Will go far . . . A real asset to our class . . . Wish he could have been at SHS all 12 years.

Kenny,
best of luck to
a real swell guy.
When I come to the
canteen next year are
you going to give me
a free drink then?
John

John Wesley Hartman

Character makes its own destiny.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Honor Society 3, 4
Class Secretary 4
Class Play 2, 3, 4
Band and Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 3
State and County Chorus 1, 3, 4
John . . . A devilish grin that wows the femmes . . . A voice that is rich and full . . . A philosophy that is love and friendship.

Blanche Eulalah Hastings

Do not put off until tomorrow what can be enjoyed today.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 4
Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Blanche . . . Always laughing, full of fun . . . Likes to play hockey and basketball . . . One of the smaller misses in our class . . . Always asking questions of the experts.

Doris Lorraine Hastings

It is better to be small and shine, than to be big and cast a shadow.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4
Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Fashion Shows 2, 3
Information 4
Perfect Attendance 1, 3
Honor Cards 1, 2, 3, 4
Shorty . . . A tiny, quiet gal . . . Has a cute smile for everyone . . . A good commercial student . . . Really speedy at the typewriter . . . Ambitious and hardworking.

Judith Ann Hickman

I can resist everything except temptation.

Blue Jay 1, 2
Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Treasurer of Tri-Hi-Y 2
Cheerleading Club 1
Class Play Prompter 4
Judy . . . Always into something . . . Blonde hair and blue eyes . . . Tremendous fun . . . Loves the beach.

William Emerson Higgins

With malice towards none, with charity for all.

Hi-Y 2, 4
Technician, Lighting and P.A. System 3, 4
Announcer of JV Football and Track Games 3, 4
Class Bake 3, 4
State and County Chorus 2, 3, 4
Band and Chorus 2, 3, 4
Canteen 2, 3, 4
Radio Announcer 4
Pinky . . . Ever gleeful and joyful . . . Brings a laugh into the dullest day . . . As dependable as they come.

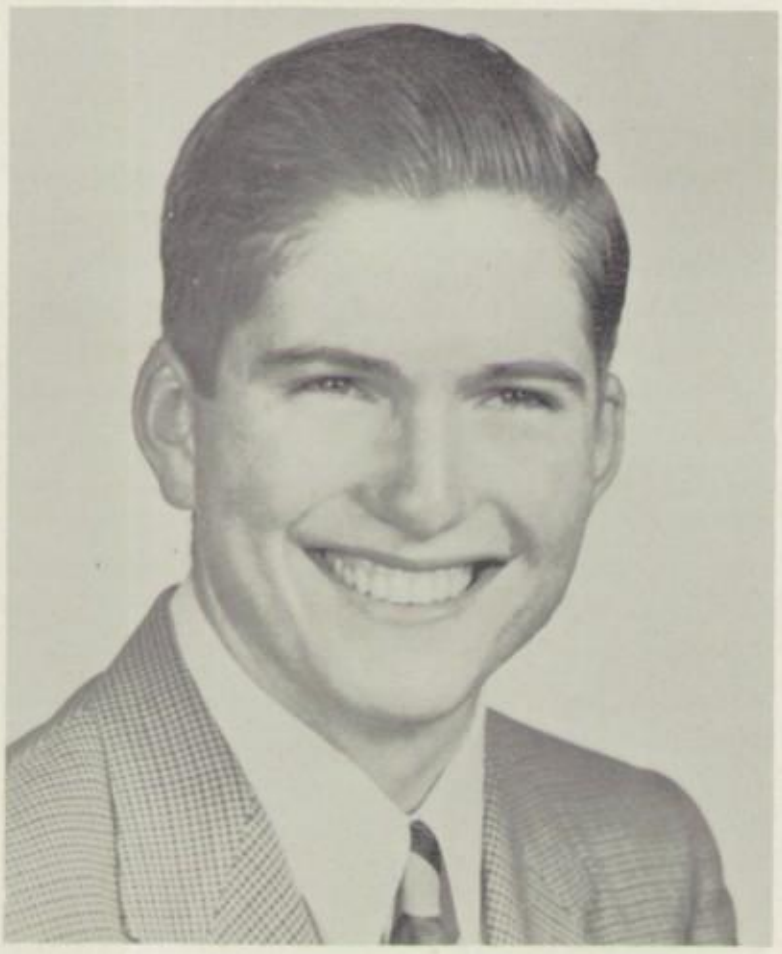
Barbara Grace Hill

Kindness is virtue itself.

Hockey Manager 3, 4
Basketball Manager 3, 4
Blue Jay Typist 2, 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Make-Up Class Play 3
Perfect Attendance 3

Barb . . . Friendly, well-mannered girl . . . A big help in all class projects . . . Ambition is to be a nurse . . . We're quite sure she'll make one of the very best.

Ken,
Is a very nice gal "(H+A)"
Best of luck in the
year in school ahead.
Donald.



Donald Ray Hill

All mankind love a lover.

Football 1, 2
Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Class Play 4
Scenery Committee 4

Donald . . . The sincere lad of the class . . . Always willing to argue with anyone for what he believes.

Harold Thomas Holland

Friendships last forever; and a smile is worth a thousand tears.

Kenny!
Lots of luck to a guy
who has a good time
at the canteen.
"Grace"

Student Council 2
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3
Honor Society 4
Senior Class Play 4
Class Treasurer 2
Athletic Club 2
Intramural Sports 2, 3, 4

Harold . . . Everybody's buddy . . . A shoulder to weep on and a hand to shake . . . More fun than "a barrel of monkeys" . . . Life of every party . . . Pretty rugged on the football field, too.

Frances Lorraine Hope

Happiness seems made to be shared.

FHA 1
Tri-Hi-Y Club 2
Student Council Secretary 4
Girls' State 3
Varsity Hockey 4
Basketball 3, 4
Senior Class Play 4
Blue Jay Staff 2, 3, 4
Prom Manager 3
SCSC Secretary 4
Frannie . . . Sweet and attractive . . . A real leader . . . No number too large for her "little Henry J" . . . Her pretty diamond determines her future plans . . . Judy Grave in the Senior play.

Jeanne Frances Horne

A constant friend is a thing rare and hard to find.

FHA 1
Jean . . . A real cute pair of dimples . . . Usually seen looking out of Miss Berry's window about 12:35 . . . Her future is pretty well planned . . . Has secret ambition to pass 150's in shorthand.

Carlton Woodrow Jones

Popularity if power!

Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Scenery Club 4
President Youth Canteen 2
Student Council 3, 4
President Student Council 4
Class President 2, 3
Carlton . . . The upright pillar and leader of the class . . . His ability to accept responsibility and to see a job well done are a "once in a blue moon" treat.

ROBERT WALTER KNOWLES

Independence now and independence forever.

FFA 4
Baseball 4
Athletic Club 1
Bob . . . The big talker of our class??? . . . Most likely to be found in a certain Ford . . . Finds a steady interest outside of school.

DIANE ELIZABETH KREWATCH

Always at work.

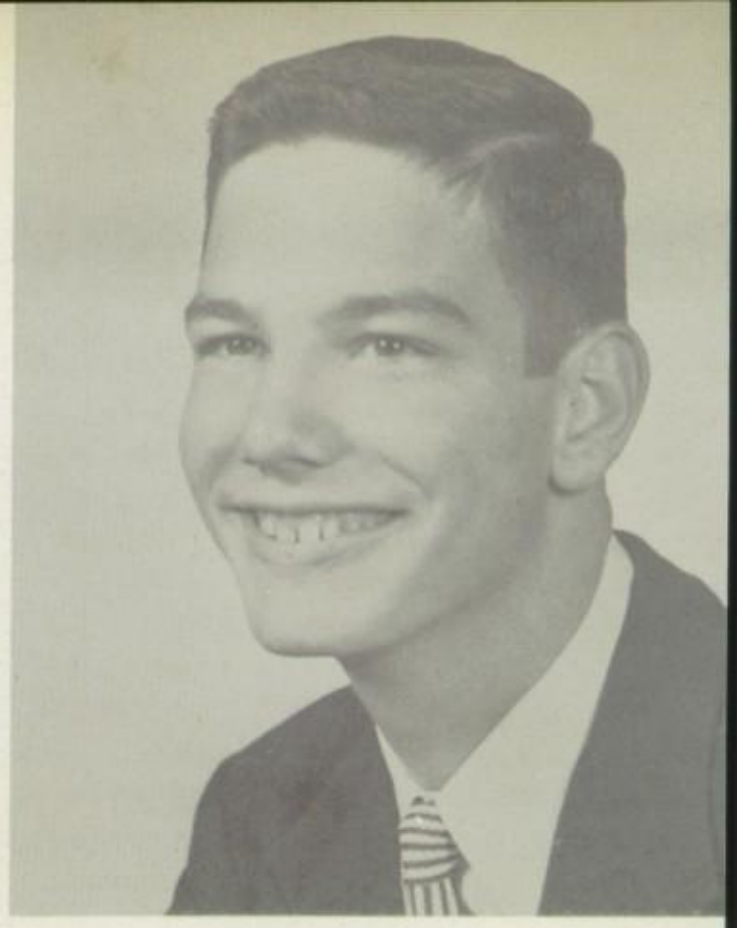
Chorus 1, 2, 3
Typing Club 2
Cheerleaders' Club 1
Dramatics 3
Diane . . . Is the top award winner in home cooking . . . Her breads are excellent . . . Does her work with a will.

JAMES EDWARD LAMBDEN

Speech is but the incorporation of thought.

FFA Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 4
Athletic Club 1
Jimmy . . . A friend worth having . . . Has a winning smile and cheerful outlook . . . His interests, horses and girls.

Kenny
Best of luck
in the future
try to be good
but don't let
it worry you
if you're not



DONALD LEWIS LANKFORD

Love like a cough, cannot be hid.

Basketball 1, 2
Football 3
Scenery Club 4
Scenery Senior Play 4
Vice President of Class 3
Driving Club 4

Don . . . A steadfast friend to all the Seniors . . . A fine football player . . . Will be remembered as keeping "Steady Company."

Hen.
Best wishes & good luck
to you always. Have fun
& be good.
"Al"

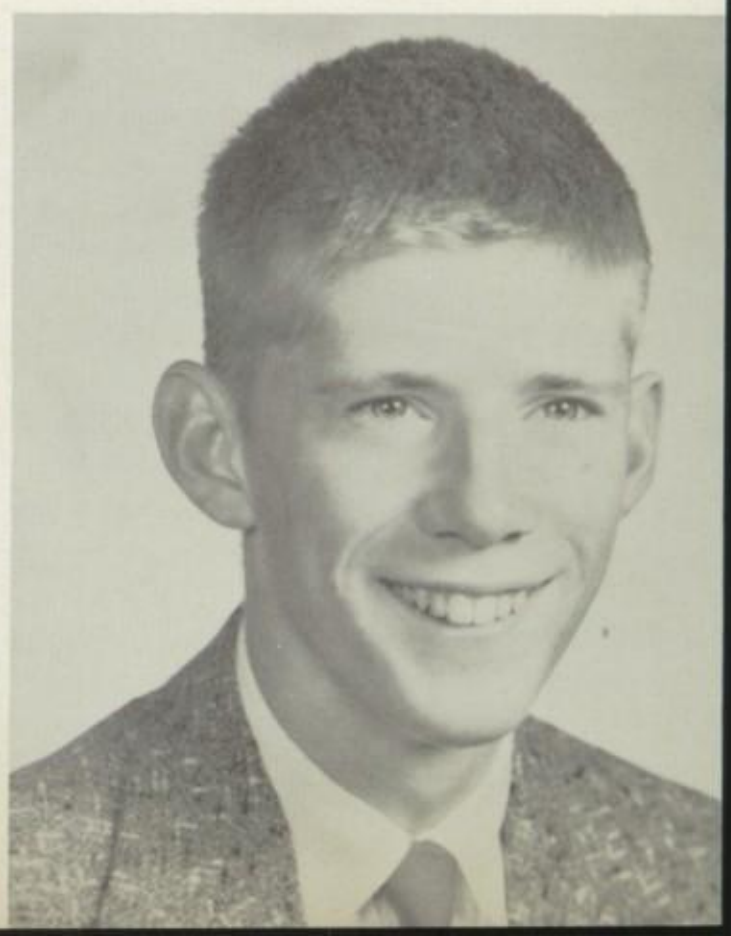
ALAN TAYLOR LEWIS

Faithfulness and sincerity first of all.

Football 1, 3, 4
Football Manager 2
Basketball Manager 2, 3
Hi-Y Club 4

Al . . . Came to us in our Senior year . . . A big help in our Senior production . . . Played on our ever victorious football team.

Kenny,
Take care of the
candy stand at the
Canteen. Lots of luck
in the future at S.H.S.
Marvin Lloyd
D.H.

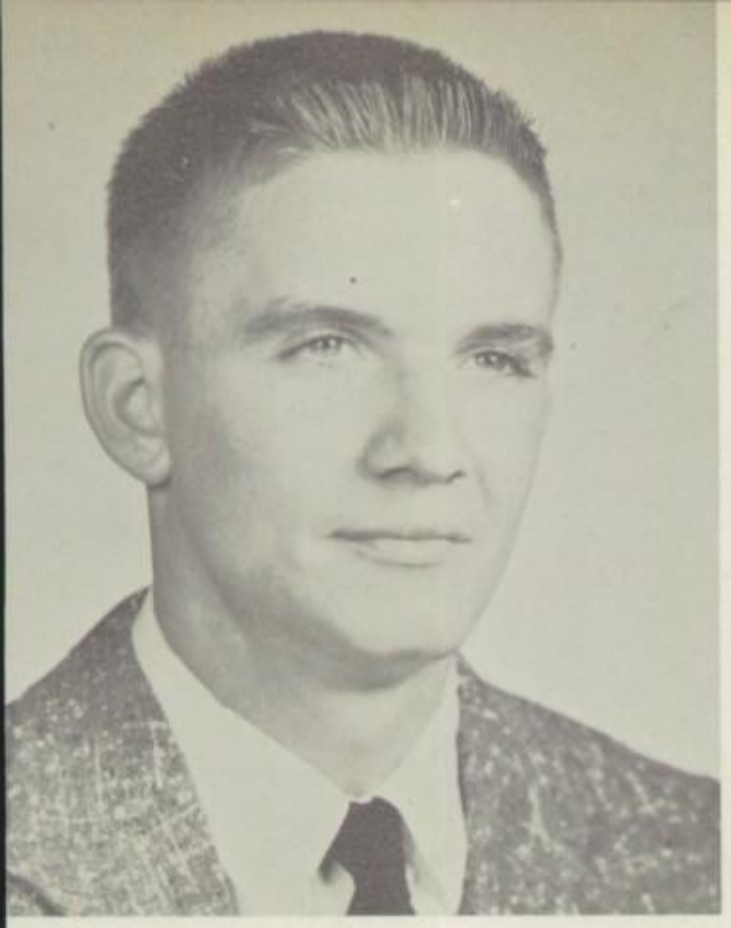


MARVIN EUGENE LLOYD

A good heart is worth gold.

Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Sports Attendant 4
Baseball 1
Flag Attendant 4

Marvin . . . Admirably quiet and so nice to know . . . Usually seen with Darvin at 3:05 . . . Everybody's friend and buddy.



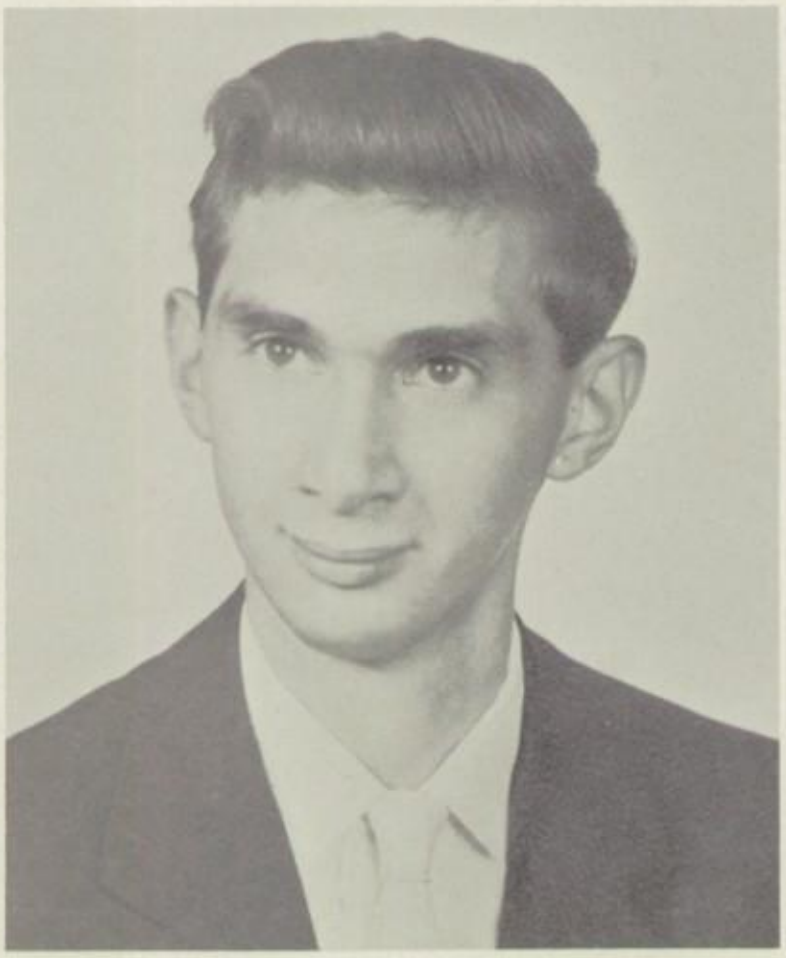
CARL DEE MAHR

It is the mind that makes the body rich.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Hi-Y Vice President 4
Hi-Y President 2
Gym Assistant 4

Carl . . . Always ready to have a good time . . . Played a terrific game of basketball and football . . . A real athlete . . . Hopes to become a physical education instructor.

Kenny
Best Wishes
in the future
Take care of all
the girls.
Carlos



DARVIN MARINO

He who is good, is happy.

Hi-Y Club 3, 4
Baseball 3
Football Manager 3, 4
Basketball Manager 4
JV Basketball 2
Intramural Basketball 3, 4

Darvin . . . Will be remembered as the good-natured football manager . . . A real nice guy who likes Pizza-Pie . . . Tall and slim with a smile for everyone.

Kenny
Best of luck in all you attempt. Take care of those sodas at the canteen next Saturday and remember all the girls who take sodas for nothing. Best Wishes
Darvin "Abe"
Marino

HOWARD RONALD MCCABE

What is highest and noblest in man, conceals itself.

Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Vice President of Honor Society 4
Football 1, 4
Track 3, 4
Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Treasurer of Hi-Y Club 4
Basketball 1

McCabe . . . The calm and collected . . . Gives for the joy of giving and asks nothing in return . . . Save a smile and a welcome.

Kenny
Best wishes in your future years at S.H.S.
Be good, don't work too hard
Howard

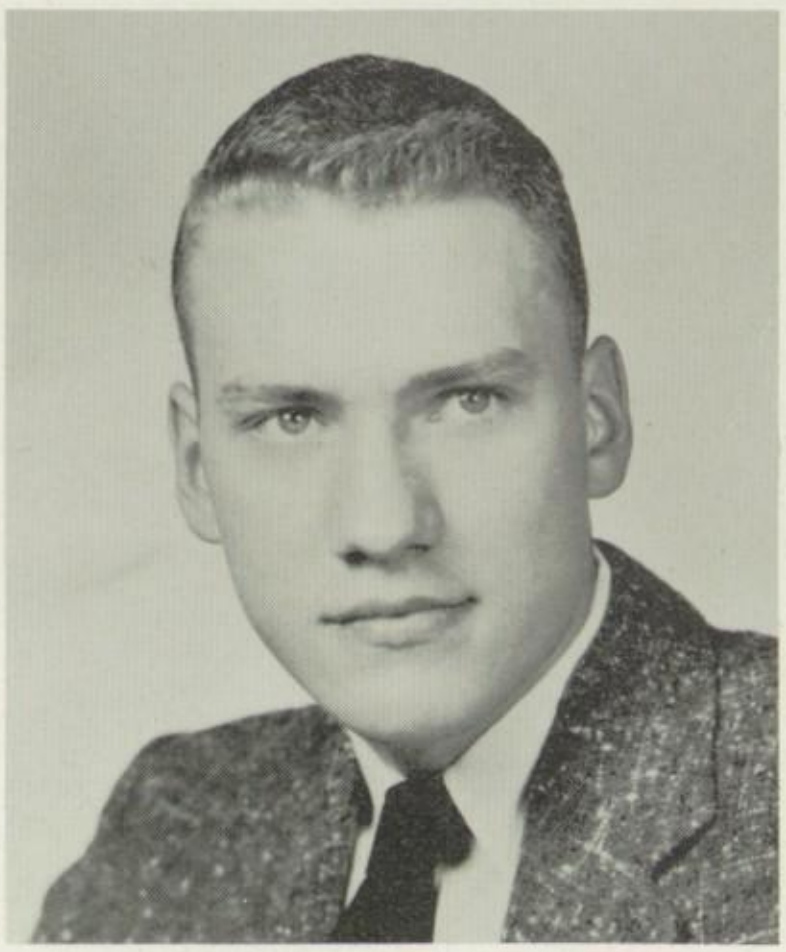
BETTYLOU MCGEE

How goodness heightens beauty.

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3
Honor Society 3
Honor Attendance 2, 3
Fashion Show 2, 3
Honor 2

Betty . . . A good student, who works industriously at everything . . . Kind of quiet and she has many friends . . . A whiz in shorthand . . . The only Senior girl who has no trouble translating her own shorthand.

Kenny-
Take care of yourself & the girls. Best in all.
Myron
M. McWilliams



MYRON JOSEPH MCWILLIAMS

Don't blame me because I'm late, it's not my fault; it's just fate.

Student Council 1, 2, 3
Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 4
Hi-Y 1, 2
Class Representative 3, 4
Senior Class Play 4
Honor Society 2, 3
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4

Mac . . . Is one of the nicer looking boys in our class . . . We can't help but admire his completely relaxed manners and friendly smile . . . Life seems to hold few problems for him.

Kenny-
You're a nice guy in old S.H.S. Be a good boy and graduate soon & get out
Good luck
Paul

PAUL LENNELL MILLER

Sweet music! Sacred tongue of God.

Dance Band 4
Chorus 2, 3
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
State Chorus 2, 3
County Chorus 1, 2, 3
FFA
Vice President of FFA
Hi-Y
Baseball 4
FFA Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4

Lukey . . . Will be remembered for his singing and trombone playing . . . Real asset to SHS Band . . . Usually seen with two others singing in front of microphone.

Kenny
Best of luck & a real bootleggin'!
Thanks for the free soft drinks!
Jim Milliken

WILLIAM JAMES MILLIKEN

To God, thy country, and thy friend be true.

Student Council Treasurer 4
Vice President of Class 4
Football 2, 3, 4
Track 3, 4
Radio Club 3
Gymnastics Club 4
Latin Club 2
Honor Society 2, 3, 4

Jim . . . "Service" should be Jim's middle name . . . A leader on the football field as well as in school . . . We prophesy success in all future endeavors.

VIOLA FREDERICA MINER

No wonder teacher's hair turns grey, I chatter, chatter all the day.

President Latin Club 2
Dramatic Club 3
FTA 4
Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
Business Manager, Aloha 4
Bake Manager 3, 4
Class Treasurer 4
Student Council 3

Freddie . . . The Wit! . . . The worker and breeder of laughter . . . Argument is a spectacular of hers.

Best Wishes good luck
Ed.

CHARLES EDWARD MOORE

Always laughing, never sad; sometimes naughty, but never bad.

JV Track 1
Varsity Track 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2, 3, 4
Honor Society 3
Exchange Student 3

Ed . . . Oh, Oh, Edward, mind that wit of yours . . . Full of love and humor that will never be forgotten . . . Behind the wit, though, we've found a fellow of high ideals and strong character.

NOREETA ANN MULDER

The flower of meekness on a stem of grace.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4

Rita . . . A quiet girl who is well mannered . . . Tallness is an asset . . . A true future homemaker . . . Really works in the Home Ec department.

WILLIAM ARTHUR O'DAY

Your home is where your heart is.

thletic Club 1, 2, 3, 4
FFA 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1
Football 4

Bill . . . Wants to own a dairy farm . . . Likes livestock and sports . . . Did a real bang-up job in football . . . Nicely settled and dependable.

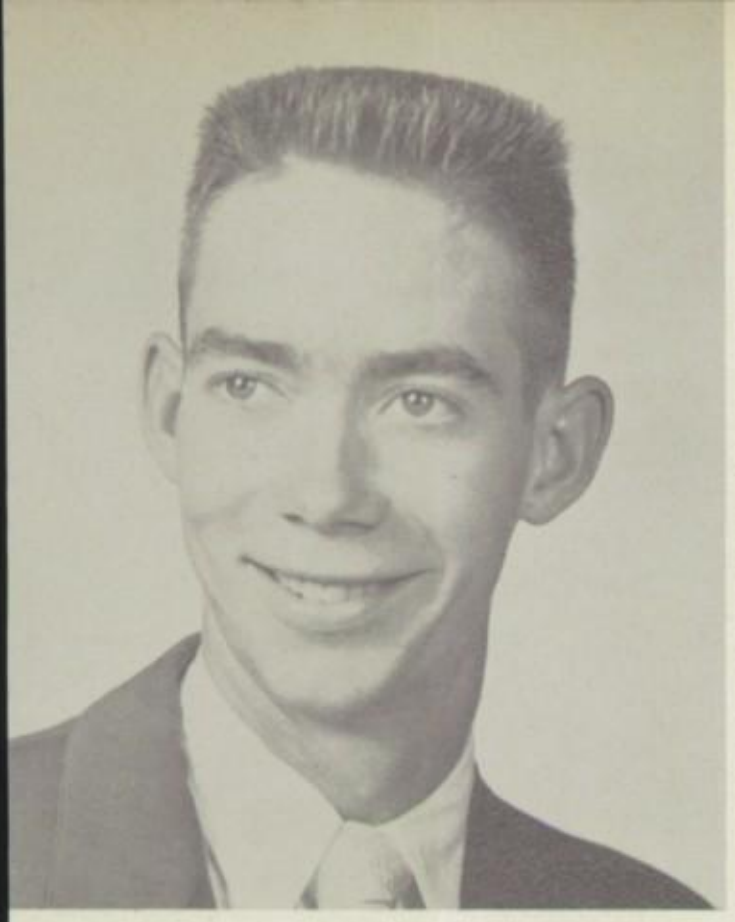
Kenny
Best Wishes
in all you
attempt
Dave

DAVID ALBERT PASSWATERS

Speak briefly and to the point.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1
Athletic Club 1, 2
Gymantics 3, 4
Band 1, 2, 3, 4

Dave . . . Quiet . . . A real speed-demon in football and track . . . Look for a crowd of girls and you will usually find David.



Hi Ben.
Best of luck to real nice boy.
Ben

BEN MICHAEL PATTERSON
Wine, women, and song.

Basketball 1
Baseball 1
Football 1
Hy-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Driving Club 1
Ben . . . Usually seen in a hot-rod Ford with girls . . . Loves fun.

ZEB WILLIAM PETREA, JR.
Knowledge is power.

Hi-Y President 4
Hi-Y 3, 4
Blue Jay Reporter 4
Football 3, 4
Track 3, 4
Class President 4
Honor Society 2, 3, 4
Latin Club, Vice President 2
Treasurer, Honor Society 4
Zeb . . . That go-getter with plenty of vim, vigor'n vitality . . . Always keeps a fast eye on the stock market . . . Future "oil man" of Seaford.

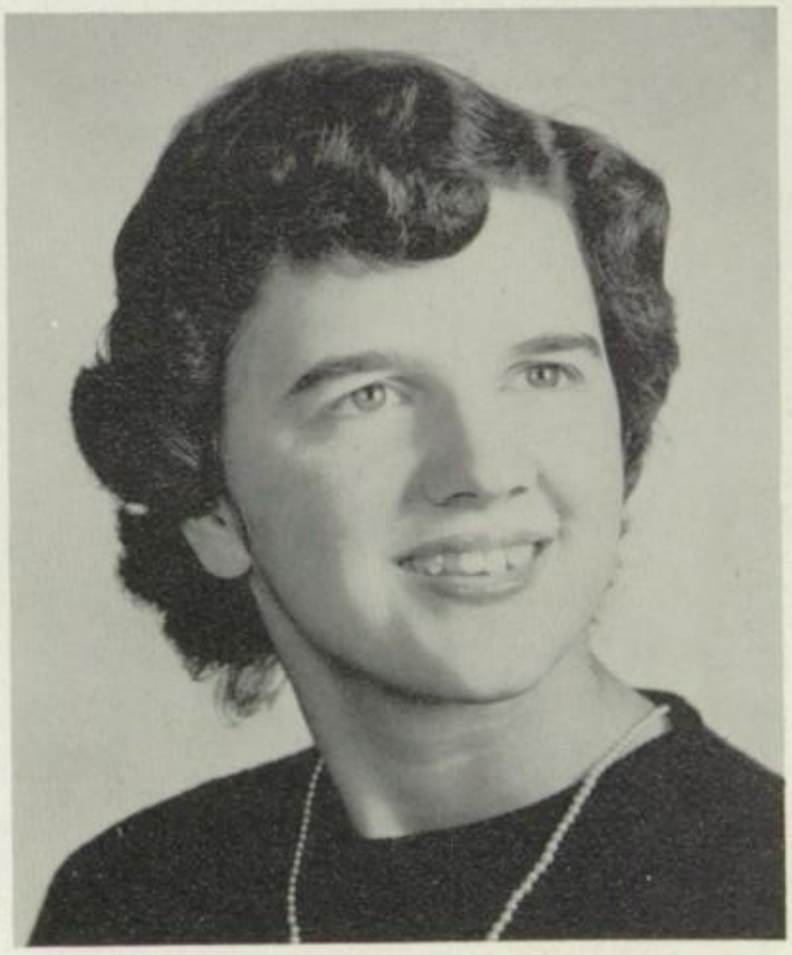
GERALDINE PHILLIPS BEARD
A good laugh is sunshine in a house.

Junior Play 3
Hockey 1, 2, 3
Majorette 2, 3
Senior Play
Prompter 4
Gerry . . . Her warm smile and brown button eyes are a welcome sight . . . Our tiniest gal.

RICHARD FREDERICK RAWLINS

Imagination rules the world.

Class Play Art Assistant 3
Art Club 3
Aloha Staff 4
Richard . . . Has a deep love for cars, especially the sports models . . . Full of fun.



SYLVIA WHEEDLETON ROBINSON

A light heart lives long.

FHA 1, 2, 3
Class Play 3
Fashion Show 1, 2, 3
Library Assistant 2
Honor Cards 1, 2
Blue Jay 1
Sylvia . . . Dark and attractive, friendly to everyone . . . Interested in literary masterpieces . . : Light-hearted and gay in all endeavors.

PATRICIA CAROLINE SENEY

To the valiant, actions speak alone.

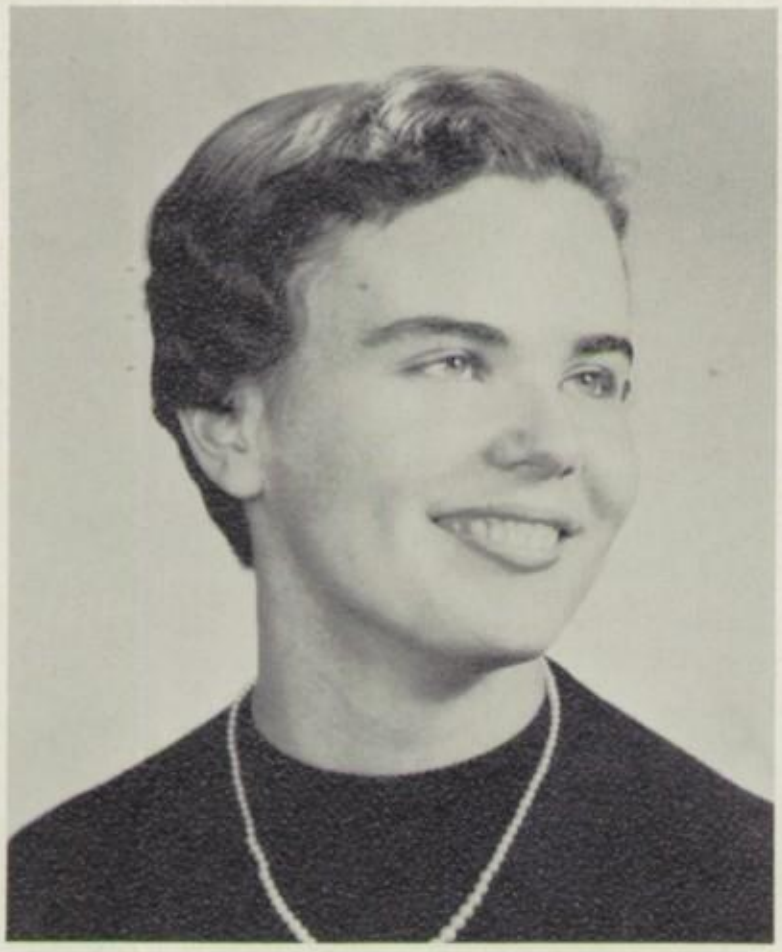
Newspaper 1, 2, 3, 4
Aloha Staff 4
JV Basketball 1, 2
Hockey Manager 3
Drama Club 2, 3, 4
Band 3, 4
Red Cross 1, 2
Class Play 3, 4
Pat . . . Always ready to help others . . . Loves fun . . . Can be remembered as Fluffy in her Senior year and Abbey in her Junior year . . . Possesses many talents.

Joseph Rhea Shannon

The badge of honesty is simplicity.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 1, 2, 3, 4
Hi-Y 3, 4
President of Student Drivers 4
Honor Attendance 1, 2, 3, 4
Football Official 4
Rhea . . . Is the steadfast one, who is as honest with others as he is with himself . . . His swiftness on the basketball court is equaled only by his swiftness to smile.

Kenny, Good luck to a real swell boy. Take good care of S.H.S. canteen next year. Rhea

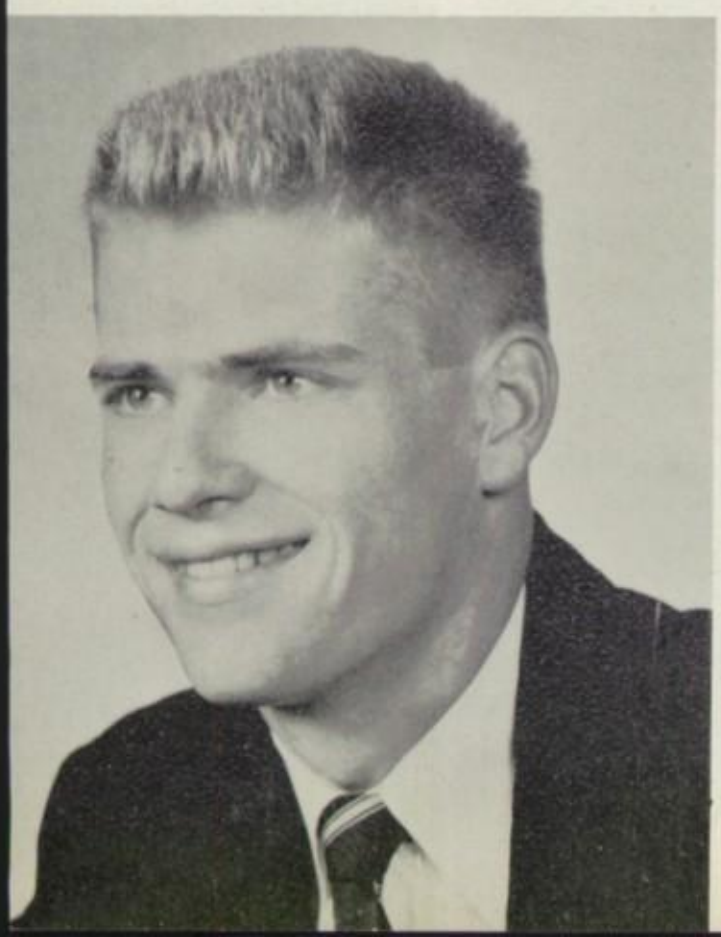


Jean Helen Smarte

It's love that makes the world go 'round.

Blue Jay 2
Dramatics 3
Tri-Hi-Y 1
FHA 1, 2, 3, 4
Driving Club 4
Fashion Show 2, 3
Prom Decoration Committee 3
Treasurer of FHA 4
Jean . . . The quiet fashion girl of our class . . . A real worker in Home Ec . . . A true and loyal friend to the end . . . Sweet to look at, though we seldom see her alone.

Kenny, Best wishes + Love for a swell year at S.H.S.! Jean



Kenneth Eldred Smith

Fun has no limits.

Baseball, Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 2
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4
Dance Committee 4
Prom Committee 3
Physical Ed. Assistant
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4
County Chorus 4
Kenny . . . The "blond flat top" and the spirit to make the most of every situation!!! Assists the coach in Physical Ed and is an able participant in football and basketball.

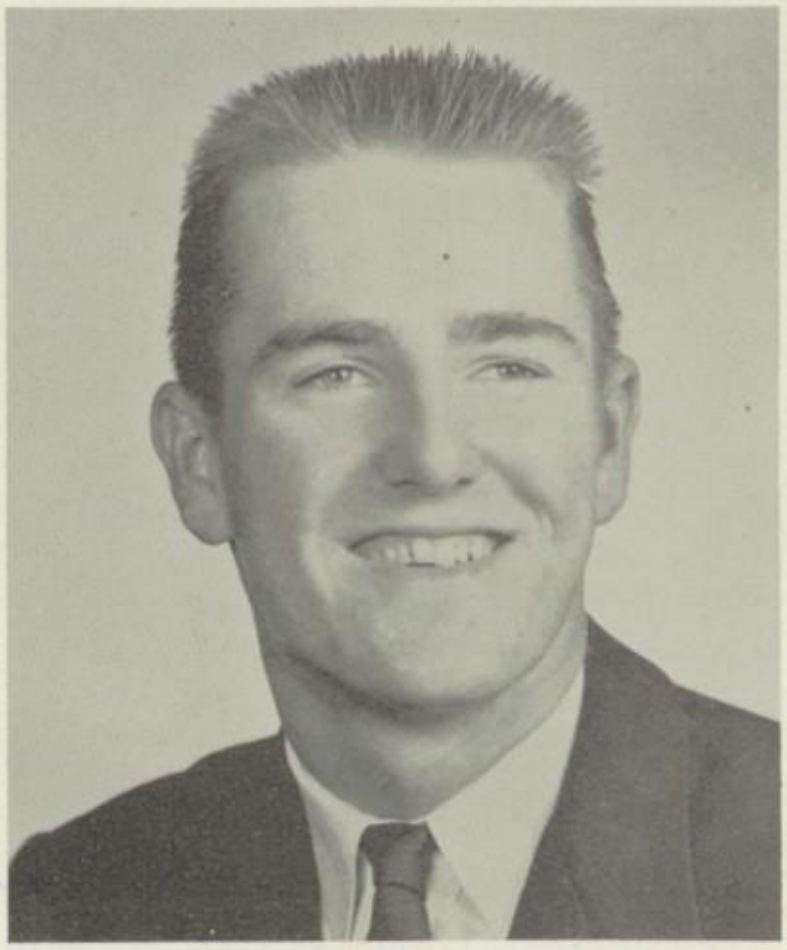
Kenny, Best wishes + luck always a friend Kenny

Dorothy Ruth Sprenkle

Ever cheerful, never dreary, always smiling, never weary.

Latin Club 1, 2
Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Chaplain 4
Blue Jay 3, 4
FTA 3, 4, President
Senior Play 4
Honor Attendance 1, 2
Sports Attendant 4
Yearbook Typist 4
Latin Banquet Chairman 1, 2
Prom Committee 3

Ruth . . . A sweet gal with high ideals and a fine character . . . Reliable and lots of fun to be with . . .Worked hard on the yearbook . . . Success is her destination.



William Leroy Steele, Jr.

On a field, or on a court, he's at home in any sport.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 3, 4
Class Representative 3
Projectionist 1, 2, 3, 4

Bill . . . A great pal, quiet and yet purposeful in his attitude . . . Bill is school spirit embodied.

Best wishes
for the future.
Bill

Mary Ann Strohmaier

Silence never yet betrayed anyone!

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2
Band 1, 2, 3, 4
FTA 3, 4
Library Assistant 4
Honor Society 2, 3

Mary Ann . . . Quietly Mary Ann goes about her tasks, with an aptitude for studying and a willingness to work.

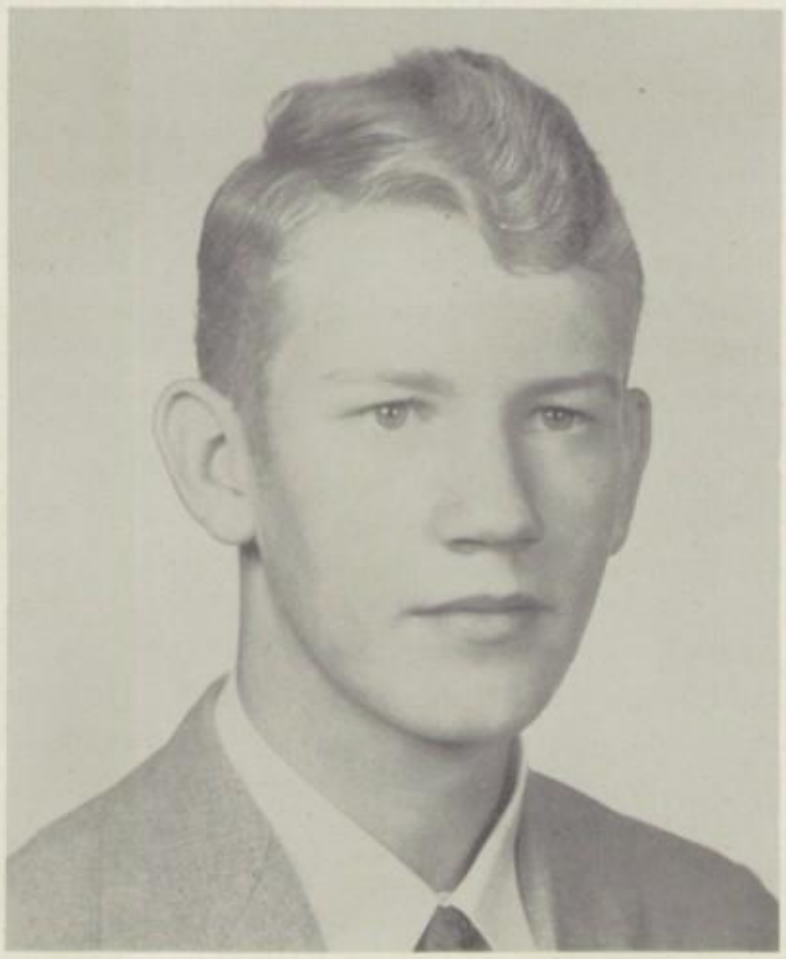
Kenny
Best of luck to a nice boy. Take good care of the village after I leave. Remember the class of '56.
A friend
Always!
"Jane"

CATHERINE JANE TEMPLE

Big blue eyes and a charming smile, she certainly is a miss "worthwhile."

Student Council 1
Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y Treasurer 2, 4
Dramatics Club 3
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4
Class Treasurer 1
Blue Jay Typist 1, 2, 4

Jane . . . Peppy and full of fun are only trite words that cannot really describe the cause of Jane's popularity . . . A true asset to any sport . . . Always bubbling over with fun.



VERNON CLEVELAND TIMMONS

The sunshine of the mind.

Agriculture Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Athletic Club 1
Junior Class Play 3
Senior Class Play 4

Vernon . . . Quiet but full of the devil . . . Will be remembered as Teddy in "Arsenic and Old Lace."

JAMES EDWARD TRICE

A good day's work never hurt anyone.

Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4
FTA 3, 4
Blue Staff 3, 4
Class Play 3, 4
JV Football 2
Football Manager 4
Baseball Manager 3, 4
Basketball Manager 3, 4
Class Historian 4
Yearbook Staff 4

Tricey . . . Not only works for the furtherment of himself but for his class and school as well . . . His willingness to get a job done right is an asset not to be forgotten.

Kenny,
To the boy who I gave the hardest times to in Gym class. Best of luck and always Remember me
Dennis

KENNETH COLLINS TULL

Work is work and must be done; yet as I work, I have my fun.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4
Baseball 1, 2
Track 3, 4
Hi-Y Club 2, 3, 4
Intramural Basketball 2, 3, 4
Blue Jay Reporter 4
Class Play 3, 4
Gym Assistant 4

Kenny . . . Will be remembered as a distance runner on the track team and an end on the football team . . . Has a liking for a certain Freshman girl and can usually be seen driving a green Pontiac.

PEGGY JOYCE TULL

Men may come and men may go, but not if I can help it.

FHA 1, 4
Blue Jay 3
Tri-Hi-Y 2
Prom Chairman 3

Peg . . . The light-and-happy-hearted gal who skips through a hard day looking fresh as a flower . . . Who is handy with a needle as well as her paints . . . Is sure to find a place in tomorrow.

Kenny
Best of Luck
in the years to
come.
Roddy

ROLAND ROSS TYNDALL

The best things often come done up in small packages.

FFA 1, 2, 3, 4
Gym Club 3, 4
Treasurer of FFA
Prom Committee

Roland . . . Ever-ready . . . Always on the go . . . Girls can't resist him.

ELIZABETH JANE WARD MARTIN

My heart is ever at your service.

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4
SCSC Secretary 3
SCSC President 4
Bake Manager 3, 4
Prom Manager 3
Tri-Hi-Y Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Co-Editor Yearbook 4
Class Representative 3, 4
Tri-Hi-Y President 2, 4
State Safety Council
Recorder, Leader 3, 4
Information 2, 3

Jane . . . Has that incessant drive to see things done right . . . Rightness that makes her serve when others have shifted the load . . . Winner of the DAR award . . . Strives to make the best of each day.

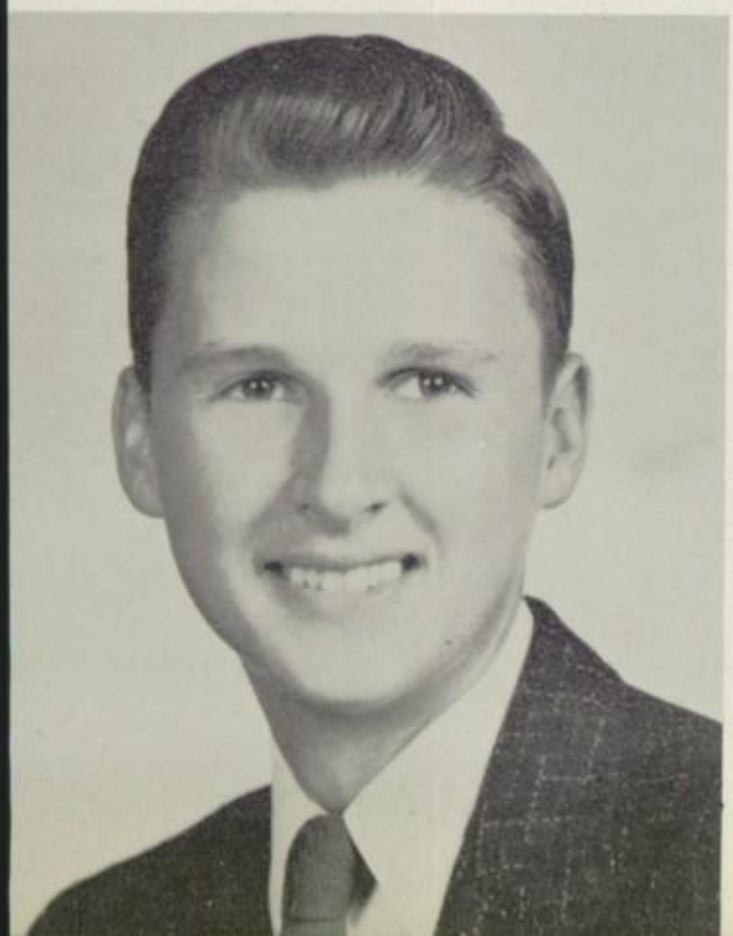
Kenny I like that name for lots of reasons! Say, aren't you the guide I had the other day? We have loads of fun in high school and don't forget me! Best wishes, Judy

JULIA ANN WARD

There is nothing rarer than true goodness.

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4
FHA President 4
State Parliamentarian FHA 4
Junior Class Play Prompter 3
Fashion Show 1, 2, 3, 4

Judy . . . Sweetness and fun rolled into one to make a lovable girl that's a friend to all . . . She's always in there cheering for her Alma Mater.



Kenny;
I'm a fellow bus rider
Take care and be good. Best of luck
Don

DONALD LEE WHITE

Life lives only in success.

Hi-Y Club 2
Perfect Attendance 1, 2, 3, 4
Gym Assistant 4
Football Official 4

Don . . . Tall, dark, and handsome . . . Helpful at just the right moment . . . Don is living proof that "still water runs deep."

Dorothy Mae Wiley

Music is well said to be the speech of angels.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4
Yearbook 2
Comwolei Club 3
Le Cercle Francais 3
National Chorus 4
Tri-Hi-Y Officer 4
Y-Teen Club 2, 3
Homeroom Officer 1, 2, 3
County Chorus 4
Dottie . . . One of the singing birds of the Class of '56 . . . Destined someday to become another Doris Day . . . A Southern Belle from Augusta, S. C.

Levin Allen Williams

A car he likes; and girls some; but study and books to him, no fun!

Agriculture 1, 2, 3, 4
Ag Vice President 3
Ag President 4
Scenery Club 1
Gym Club 2
Bunny . . . Full of pep and always looking for fun . . . Likes to hunt and fish . . . President of FFA . . . Clowns around in Gym Exhibition.

Joan Alyce Wood

Who is it can read a woman?

Band 1, 2
Tri-Hi-Y 1
Dramatic Club 3
Woody . . . Mischief! Mischief! Mischief! The blonde bombshell . . . Usually seen with a last year's senior . . . One of our tiny misses.

Senior Class Play

MRS. MOORE, *Director*

As Freshmen, we the Class of 1956, entered the halls of Seaford High School on Wednesday, September 3, 1952. We learned that our sponsors were to be Miss Vincent, Mr. Frey, and Mr. Miller; and in our first class meeting we elected class officers. David Grosh was president; Myron McWilliams, vice president; Harold Holland, secretary; Jane Temple, treasurer; and Kenny Smith, historian.

We elected Jane Temple, Deede Kenworthy, Maynard Eaton, and David Grosh to represent us in the Student Council; Bobby Allen was the Freshman member of the Athletic Council. When Deede Kenworthy moved away from Seaford, Jane Ward was elected to take her position in the Student Council.

Many new members were added to our class that fall. Several stayed only one year. Others, like Ruth Sprenkle and Freddie Miner, remained with us throughout our high school years.

Could any of us forget the week in which we were initiated by the upperclassmen? Boys with very short crew-cuts and girls with several small pigtails were common sights then. It was hard at first but it soon came to be fun for all.

We worked hard in school on booklets for Civics class and autobiographies for English. However, we found time for fun too. The Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y clubs were organized and many of us became charter members.

At the end of our Freshman year, the class sponsored a picnic at Trap Pond. Swimming, playing baseball, eating food cooked over an open fire, riding in a truck with a layer of straw under us—these things brought our first year in high school to a close.

Vacation passed quickly, and on September 9, 1953, we returned to S.H.S. as Sophomores. That year Mrs. Wright, Miss Berry, and Mrs. Higgins accepted the class sponsoring duties. When Mrs. Higgins left at Christmas, Mr. Ellis became our third class sponsor.

The Sophomore Class officers were Carlton Jones, president; Bobby Bennett, vice president; Bobby Allen, secretary; Harold Holland, treasurer; and Maynard Eaton, historian. Our Student Council representatives were Jane Ward, Myron McWilliams, Steve Mach, and Harold Holland. The Athletic Association representative was Bobby Allen.

We gained one member that year. Ann Foard joined our class in 1953, left in 1954, and returned in 1955 to finish high school at S.H.S.

The Seaford Chapter of the Honor Society was organized and several Sophomores were taken in as probationary members.

Our class sponsored its first dance on March 19, 1954.

Boys found their afternoon time devoted to football, basketball, baseball and track practices. The girls similarly occupied themselves with hockey, basketball, and softball.

September of 1954 found us very busy preparing for the coming term . . . our Junior year. The men and women who guided us through this important year were Mrs. Elzey, Mr. Koelker, and Mr. Phillips, our class sponsors.

We elected officers: Carlton Jones, president; Don Lankford, vice president; Carole Dunaway, secretary; Maynard Eaton, treasurer; Bobby Allen, historian. Dick Botdorf was elected as the representative from our class to the Athletic Association. Freddie Miner, Jane Ward, Myron McWilliams, and Carlton Jones put forth the Juniors' ideas in the Student Council.

In our Junior year, we lost one member and gained two. Steve Mach left; Patsy Seney and Jan Varden came. Patsy came to us from Richmond, Virginia. Jan was an exchange student from Oslo, Norway.

Classes and homework occupied much of our time at the beginning of the year. Therefore, it seemed as though hardly any time had elapsed before it was time for our Junior Bake. With the able assistance of our sponsors and the bake managers, Jane Ward and Freddie Miner, plans were made and carried out to the greatest extent. Our bake, held on February 5, 1955, proved to be the most successful in Junior Class history; we made more than $625.

The next event in a busy year was the class play. With the guidance of Mr. Gelber, we presented "Arsenic and Old Lace" on March 18. Much time and energy went into the preparation of the play, but everyone felt well pleased with the results.

Soon after the play, we began to work on the Prom. As our theme, we chose "Sleepy Lagoon," with the decorations lending an atmosphere of a tropical island. The guiding committee for the affair was composed of Jane Ward, Frances Hope, and Marvin Adams. Peggy Tull was in charge of the decorations; Carole Dunaway and Jo Ann Allen planned the refreshments. The music was furnished by the "Orchettes." Altogether, the Prom presented by the Class of '56 on May 6, 1955, was a big success.

The Student Council elections were held in the spring. In an assembly of the student body, Jane Ward, Maynard Eaton, and Carlton Jones were nominated for president. The election was conducted with the voting machine, something new at S.H.S. When the results were announced, it was learned that Carlton Jones had been elected to the presidency of the Student Council.

Another election held that spring was the election of two girls to represent Seaford High at Girls' State. Sandra Bennett and Frances Hope were chosen for this.

Before the end of our school term, we elected the staff for our 1956 Aloha: our editors being Jane Ward and Gail Foster; Freddie Miner, Business Manager; Jim Trice, Photography Manager; Jim Milliken and Pat Seney, Literary Writers; Carole Dunaway and Maynard Eaton, Sports Editors. During the summer, members of the staff spent their vacations selling ads for the yearbook. A few of the pages were completed for the Aloha before school time again in September.

September 9, 1955, found a total of eighty seniors beginning their last year at Seaford High School. We entered the school with laughter, but with just a little sadness, too.

Our first class meeting of the year was held on September 22. Officers for our senior year were chosen, with Bill Petrea as president; Jim Milliken, vice president; John Hartman, secretary; Freddie Miner, treasurer; and Jimmie Trice, historian.

The sponsors of our Senior Class were Mrs. Elzey, Mrs. Bowling, and Mr. Koelker. Without their friendliness, helpful advice, and guidance, we could not have done all that we did.

Newcomers to our class included Dottie Wiley, Al Lewis, and Alf Gustafsson. Dottie, another Southerner in our midst, came here from North Augusta, South Carolina; Al, from Crisfield, Maryland; and Alf, from Bromebro, Sweden, as an exchange student.

Football in our Senior year was thrilling. Dave Grosh was elected captain of the team and he led the boys through a successful and undefeated season. All of the seniors played hard and well.

We had leaders, too, in our Senior Class. In the Student Council, Carlton Jones was president and Maynard Eaton, vice president. Frances Hope was secretary of both the Seaford High and Sussex County Student Councils. Jim Milliken was treasurer. Jane Ward was president of the Sussex County Student Council Association. She was also president of our Senior-Junior Tri-Hi-Y Club. Bill Petrea was the Hi-Y Club president and the Future Teachers of America elected Ruth Sprenkle as their president. Carol Dunaway stepped into her position as Editor of the Blue Jay. Gail Foster and Jane Ward took the job as Co-Editors of the Aloha. Judy Ward was elected president of our Future Homemakers of America.

Three important events of our Senior year were the bake, the class play, and the class dance. On November 19, 1955, we held our class bake and were very successful. The weather was wet and drizzly but still we all had a swell time and were very happy with the success of the bake. The Senior play "Junior Miss" was presented on December 9. Many hours were spent learning lines, securing props, and preparing scenery; but everyone enjoyed it and felt it was worth the effort. The main characters of the play were Harry Graves, the father of two teen-age daughters, played by Dick Botdorf; Grace Graves, the sophisticated wife, was played by Gail Foster. Judy Dennis played the part of Lois, a sixteen-year-old girl with many, too many, boyfriends. Judy, her sister, who was a very imaginative thirteen year old with a huge appetite, was portrayed by Frances Hope. Last but not least, was Fluffy, Judy's impulsive friend, played by Patsy Seney. There were many other characters all portrayed wonderfully well by our class members. A few were Hilda, Kay Boyce; J. B. Curtis, Jim Trice; Ellen, Ruth Sprenkle; Willis, Horace Holland; Barlow, Vernon Timmons; Haskell, John Hartman; Western Union Girl, JoAnn Allen. The Senior dance was given on December 16. The three fellows in charge were Jim Trice, Carlton Jones, and Bobby Chaffinch. With winter decorations, the Christmas Dance was a gala affair.

So the year went until spring when scholarships and awards were presented to many of the outstanding Seniors. Will we ever forget our last assembly and the long walk up the aisle with the strains of the "Alma Mater" ringing in our ears, or the sights of senior name cards in every nook and corner of the school?

The Baccalaureate service was held on June 3 and Commencement was on June 8, 1956. And thus, our high school careers ended and we were face to face with the outside world. Many times in the years to come, we will look back to our days at SEAFORD HIGH SCHOOL, OUR ALMA MATER.

MR. AND MISS CLASS OF 1956

Senior Favorites

Most Service to Class

JANE WARD
JIM TRICE

Best Dancers

ANN BLOODSWORTH
BOB CHAFFINCH

Most School Spirit

JANE TEMPLE
BILL STEELE

Most Versatile

CAROLE DUNAWAY
MAYNARD EATON

Life of Every Party

PAT SENEY
HAROLD HOLLAND

Most Studious

GAIL FOSTER
HOWARD McCABE

Biggest Flirts

MYRON McWILLIAMS
FRANCES HOPE

Likely to Succeed

JIM MILLIKEN
GAIL FOSTER

Most Athletic

ANN BLOODSWORTH
DAVE GROSH

Best Looking

JEAN SMARTE
DON LANKFORD

Most Reliable

FREDDIE MINER
JIMMY TRICE

Most Talented

JUDY DENNIS
JOHN HARTMAN

Class Prophecy

R!R!R!Ring! the 10:45 bell is ringing as the principal of Seaford High School calls his secretary.

"Jo Ann, will you please get me the files on the class of '56."

"Certainly, Jimmy. Oh excuse me, I mean Mr. Trice!"

"For pitysake, Jo Ann Allen, you called me "Jimmy" for twelve years, and it certainly won't hurt to call me "Jimmy" now!"

"Well, it does seem strange to call the principal by his first name!"

"Carole Dunaway called from the *Leader* office; she's editor now, you know. She wants a story concerning our class-mates and what they are doing. You can probably help me."

"There's Bobby Allen and Horace Holland, who've opened a men's clothing store in Salisbury. It's called the "Handsome Man Shop." Marvin Adams, Roland Tyndall, and Carlton Jones have formed a construction company and are tearing up High Street again. Ann Bloodsworth and Kay Boyce have a new dancing school. Barbara Fry, of course, is our gym teacher, and Alan Lewis heads our Science department. Mary Ann Strohmaier is on the Delaware Board of Education. Myron McWilliams and Robert Chaffinch own a health center in Wilmington for the development of the physique. Gail Foster is the assistant professor of Mathematics under Mr. O'Dwyer at Columbia University. Joan Fluharty is busy taking care of her spouse, Billy Petrea; it seems that he sold all his stock in Sinclair and is now on the board of directors of Pure Oil. He is suffering from the business man's ulcer. Levin Williams has taken Mr. Minnick's place as driving instructor."

"Mr. Trice, I mean Jimmy, can you think of any others?"

"Billy Higgins is now the owner of the Dairy Bar; he and Judy Hickman are always in competition since she bought the Kream Kup. You know that Jack "Flash" Covey is the manager of Manning's since "Doc" Jones retired? Donald Hill has replaced Mr. Miller and uses unit sheets, too. Ben Patterson has a taxi service in Seaford, Bridgeville, and Laurel. Maynard Eaton and Jimmy Milliken are heads of the Engineering Department at Du Pont. Donald White is construction foreman of the Richard Rawlins Memorial High School endowed by Richard after he made his third million in uranium stocks. Jane Ward, house-mother for "Boys' Town," is successfully guiding the boys in her old-fashioned way. Donald Lankford is supplying the human touch to Jean Smarte's book, *How to Do Nothing and Get Away With It.* Bob Bennett is reacting Valentino's life for M.G.M. opposite Peggy Tull, as the "lady in black." Dottie Wiley is torch singer in Kenny Smith's "Moulin Rouge." Judy Ward has just been advanced to floor supervisor at the Laurel-Seaford telephone exchange at Hearn's Cross Roads. Bill O'Day is supplying Higgins Dairy with milk from his 500 acre

dairy farm. Jane Temple's and Sandra Bennett's cheerfulness helped Bill Steele as much as their nursing training when Bill slipped and broke his leg while chasing Sandra Friedel down the board walk at Ocean City. Kenny Tull and Paul Clark are running a race to see who can cure the most patients at Johns Hopkins in Baltimore.

Betty McGee and Ruth Griffith are working as private secretaries for the Du Pont Company in Wilmington. Andrew Conaway is co-captain of the Lakers in Minneapolis. Blanche Hastings and Ruth Curfman are raising Kentucky Blue Breeds for the annual derby. David Grosh is the new coach at Laurel. I hope they don't beat us this year. Alf Gustafson is the ambassador from Sweden to the U.N. Carl Mahr and Howard McCabe have opened a sporting goods store on High Street. Ann Foard is first saxophonist in the Hormell all-girl orchestra. Diane Krewatch has finally married James Lambden and they are both working for the county extension service. Judy Dennis is our new choral director. I believe they are giving a concert tonight, aren't they?"

"Yes sir, they are."

"You know that John Hartman and Pat Seney are co-starring in Dick Botdorf's smash hit, "School After Hours?" Vernon Timmons is the comedian at Earl David's right club, "On the Nanticoke!" Doris Hastings and Joan Wood have taken over the Palace; they call it "The Mouldy Seat Theatre." Paul Miller has his own band and quartet.

"Aren't they playing for the Junior prom this year?"

"I think so, Jo Ann. I heard that Captain Rhea Shannon, a state trooper, caught David Passwaters speeding the other day. David owns all of the barber shops in town. Frances Hope and Jeanne Horne are leading the traffic line to the teachers' classrooms on parents' night. Freddie Miner has just written a book, *Child Psychology Begins at Birth.* Sylvia Wheedleton Robinson and Gerry Phillips Beard have opened a kindergarten and are doing quite well. Edward Moore has taken over his father's business and is wiring buildings like mad. Ruth Sprenkle is our elementary principal at West Seaford. Rosemary Gullett is illustrator for Alan Glover's publishing firm. Barbara Dukes really surprised me when she became the worlds highest steeple jack artist. Marvin Lloyd, Darvin Marino, and Bobby Knowles have taken over the end of Shipley Street and are furiously competing with their service stations. Barbara Hill is Ruth Sprenkle's secretary at the West Seaford school."

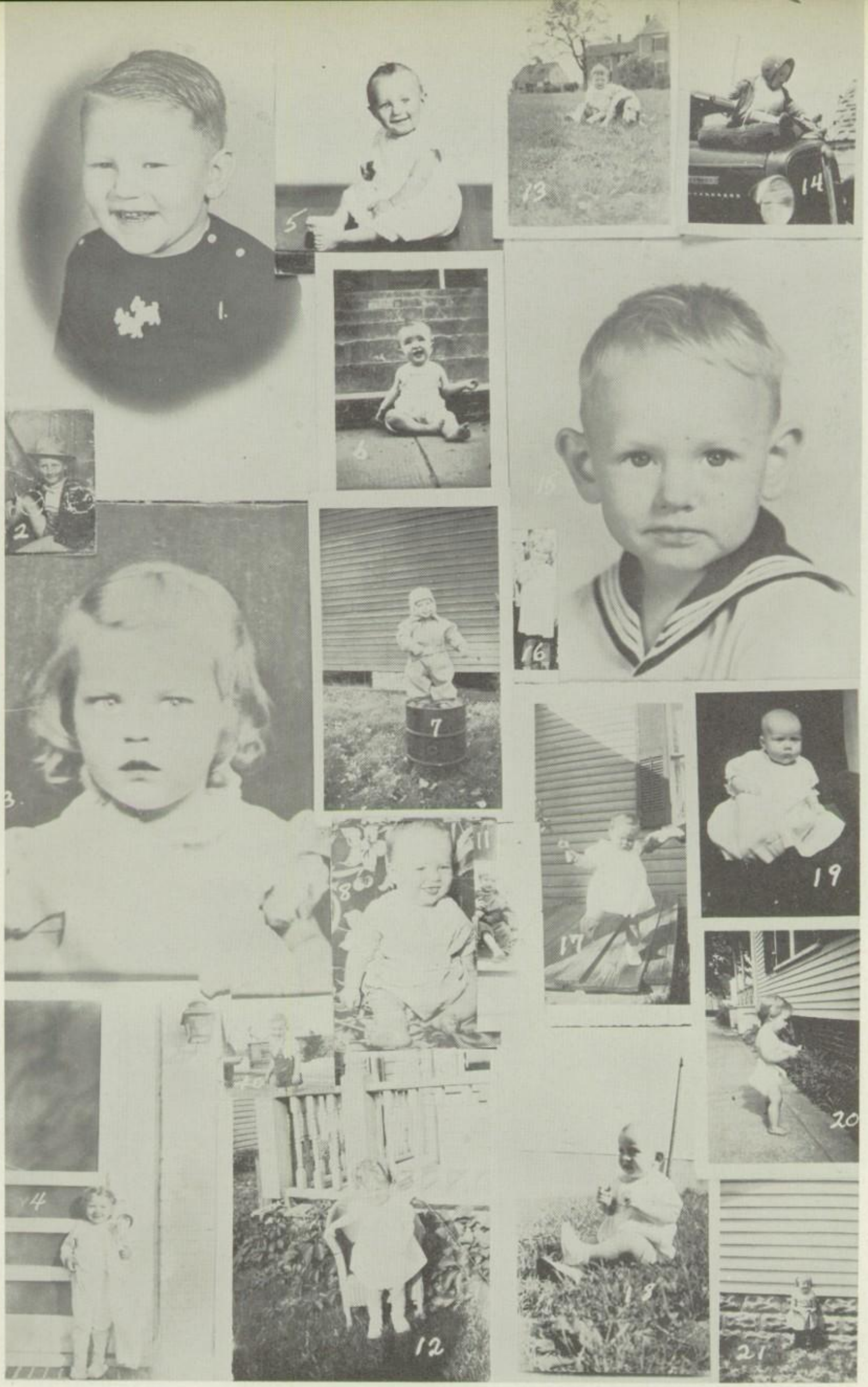
"It's amazing how a few years can divide a group of high school classmates."

"What do you mean, a few years? Why I've been principal for ten years and you can be sure that not all of this gray hair came from the troublesome students. The thinning hair and "Middle Age Spread," came as you put it, in the few???? years before I returned to our *Alma Mater.*

HOME TEAM
VISITORS

1. John Hartman, 2. Gail Foster, 3. Judy and Jane Ward, 4. Frances Hope, 5. Alan Lewis, 6. David Grosh, 7. Ann Bloodsworth, 8. Dorothy Wiley, 9. Jean Smarte, 10. Diane Krewatch, 11. Ben Patterson, 12. Sylvia Wheedleton, 13. Ruth Curfman, 14. Donald Lankford, 15. Carlton Jones, 16. Barbara Fry, 17. Harold Holland, 18. Gerry Phillips, 19. Alan Glover, 20. Doris Hastings, 21. Ann Foard, 22. Bill Petrea.

1. Edward Moore, 2. Billy O'Day, 3. Judy Dennis, 4. Peggy Tull, 5. Robert Knowles, 6. Jo Ann Allen, 7. Jimmie Trice, 8. Carole Dunaway, 9. Sandra Friedel, 10. Ruth Sprenkle, 11. Darvin Marino, 12. Barbara Hill, 13. Robert Chaffinch, 14. Myron McWilliams, 15. Freddie Miner, 16. Blanche Hastings, 17. Billy Higgins, 18. Richard Botdorf, 19. Mary Ann Strohmaier, 20. Kenny Tull.



1. Vernon Timmons, 2. Levin Williams, 3. Joan Wood, 4. Sandra Bennett, 5. Patsy Seney, 6. Joan Fluharty, 7. James Milliken, 8. Bill Steele, 10. Marvin Adams, 11. Roland Tyndall, 12. Judy Hickman, 13. James Lambden, 14. Betty McGee, 15. David Passwaters, 16. Ruth Griffith, 17. Jane Temple, 18. Rhea Shannon, 19. Kay Boyce, 20. Rosemary Gullett, 21. Barbara Dukes.

Class Will

We, the Senior Class of 1956, of Seaford High School, residing in the city of Seaford, County of Sussex, made by us, and being of sound mind, memory, and understanding, do make, publish, and declare the following as our last will and testament.

MARVIN ADAMS wills his 44 chest to Charles Hastings.

JO ANN ALLEN wills all her fun at the Canteen with her favorite saying, "Eat hearty today for tomorrow we diet" to Jeanne Gladden.

BOBBY ALLEN wills his charm to Rusty Geiger.

SANDRA BENNETT leaves all her good luck in driving plus a supply of rubber bumpers to Connie Simon.

ANN BLOODSWORTH is taking everything with her except the hard times which she leaves to the Juniors.

DICK BOTDORF wills his size 12 football shoes to Robert Kough.

KAY BOYCE wills the first chair in Mr. Moynihan's office, plus an alibi and her ability to wreck cars to Jackie West.

BOBBY CHAFFINCH and DAVID GROSH leave their part of the football team to the boys who can hold the undefeated record next year.

PAUL CLARK gives his ability to flex his biceps and thrill the girls to Richard Huston.

ANDREW CONAWAY leaves his ability to bump his head on all door facings to John Jones.

"FLASH" COVEY bequeaths his studying and swiftness to Margaret Hartman.

RUTH CURFMAN wills all her thrills and spills at the roller rink and all her excuses to Donna Fay Hill.

JUDY DENNIS leaves her seat in chorus and her common sense in P.O.D. to Kay Reynolds.

BARBARA DUKES leaves her ability to study to Marlene Tyndall.

CAROLE DUNAWAY leaves her ability to cut corners on two wheels without scraping the running board to Mary Hastings.

MAYNARD EATON bequeaths his knowledge of calling football plays to Carlene Rarick.

JOAN FLUHARTY leaves all those "little incidents" that occur before the curtain goes up on class plays to any Junior who doesn't blush easily.

ANN FOARD leaves her band uniform to Sue Fortner, who plans to grow a few inches.

GAIL FOSTER bequeaths all her unsuccessful attempts to get out of gym class to Sally Ellett.

SANDRA FRIEDEL leaves her love for Milford to Catherine Ross.

BARBARA FRY wills her excellent driving to Gail MacKenzie.

ROSEMARY GULLETT leaves her snickering to Marlene Tyndall.

ALF GUSTAFSON leaves all his American friends regretfully.

JOHN HARTMAN leaves his technique with women to Gary Moore.

BLANCHE HASTINGS leaves her ability to win arguments with Miss Berry to Janet Williamson.

DORIS HASTINGS wills her 22 inch waist to Sally Ellett.

JUDY ANN HICKMAN wills her bleached hair and an extra bottle of Moonsheen to Barbara Higgins.

BILL HIGGINS wills to Carroll Turner ten pounds of blubber.

RUTH GRIFFITH leaves her bleached pony tail to Ann Ellis.

BARBARA HILL leaves her typewriter in it's beat-up condition to Marjorie McBride.

DONALD HILL leaves all his private parking places near her house to Marian Swift.

HAROLD HOLLAND leaves his ability to bluff his way into the Underclassmen girls' hearts to Ronald Ingram.

FRANCES HOPE wills to any Junior girl, mainly Valorie Alsentzer, the ability to stay in Miss Berry's class.

JEANNE HORNE leaves her ability to take shorthand to Mary Riddle.

CARLTON JONES wills his knowledge of farm machinery, especially drills to Marie McBride.

BOBBY KNOWLES leaves all his extra cigarette butts to Walter Meding.

DIANE KREWATCH wills her relatives to Dorothy Short.

JAMES LAMBDEN leaves all his fun riding horses to Roberta Short.

ALAN LEWIS leaves his singing ability to Ronnie Allen.

MARVIN LLOYD leaves the job of picking up bottles and selling hot dogs to Jerry McCabe.

CARL MAHR leaves his little black book full of Bridgeville numbers to William Wetter.

DARVIN MARION wills his height to Kenny Russell and Pee Wee Holloway.

HOWARD McCABE wills his ability to outwit Ralph Guglielmi in quarterbacking to Rusty Geiger.

BETTY McGEE leaves her ability to take shorthand to Marilyn Griffith.

MYRON McWILLIAMS bequeaths his ever constant relaxed atmosphere to Katherine Barque.

PAUL MILLER wills all swimming holes and Model "A" Fords to Don Burris.

JIMMY MILLIKEN leaves his ability to go steady to Richard Hastings.

FREDDIE MINER leaves her ability to argue about anything to Rosalie Eskridge.

EDWARD MOORE wills the ability to learn something new about women every day to David Parker.

NOREETA MULDER wills the footsteps she left and all her troubles to Marilyn Griffith.

DAVE PASSWATERS wills all of his peroxide hair to anyone foolish enough to take it.

BILLY O'DAY leaves his size 24 waist to Judy Hassen.

BEN PATTERSON leaves his flat hat to any Junior with a head square enough to wear it.

RICHARD RAWLINS wills his safe and sane driving habits to Jake James.

SYLVIA WHEEDLETON leaves the whole wide world to any Junior that can make a living in it.

PAT SENEY leaves with regret her ability to climb up ladders in raincoats to Gale Purse.

JEAN SMARTE leaves her ability to get a ride with some of the gang on mornings when her old car won't start.

KENNY SMITH leaves his ability to get by eventually to Shan Hardin.

RUTH SPRENKLE wills her position on the Blue Jay Staff to Jeanne Carback.

BILL STEELE leaves his crew-cut and baby blue eyes to Ronnie Allen.

MARY ANNE STROHMAIER bequeaths her ability to shock people to Connie Simon.

JANE TEMPLE wills all of her steady habits to Judy Achy and Jeanne Carback.

VERNON TIMMONS leaves his ability to behave like an idiot in public and get laughs for it to Jeanne Gladden.

JIMMY TRICE leaves all the tears he cried getting pictures for the yearbook to Valerie Alsentzer.

KENNY TULL wills to Wayne Lyons the offices of Mayor and Chief of Police of the honorable city of Reliance.

PEGGY TULL leaves her ability to make Mr. Miller blush to Leatrice Poyner.

RONALD TYNDALL wills the happy days in Concord Pond plus one bucket of water to Freddie Thomas.

JANE WARD bequeaths the desire to be a friend to all and to be befriended by all to any Junior boy or girl who wants to get the most out of life.

DONALD WHITE leaves his flashing brown eyes to Mary Lou Hill if she'll give them back when she finishes with them.

DOT WILEY leaves all her new friends in S.H.S. to Helen Bartlet.

LEVIN WILLIAMS wills his reserved seat next to the window in Ag Room from which he watches the girls at gym to Wesner Stack.

We, whose names are hereto subscribed, do certify that the Senior Class of 1956, the testators, subscribed their names to this instrument in our presence and in the presence of each of us, and at the same time, in our presence and hearing, declared the same to be their last will and testament, and hereto as witnesses to the execution thereof, which we hereby do in the presence of the testators and of each other, we write opposite to our names our respective places of residence.

JOHN WILLIAM ROYAL, *Advisor*
Residing at Seaford

WILLIAM PETREA, *Class President*
Residing at Seaford

Class Bake

Our Junior class bake was a day of fun, laughs, and some work, too, for us all. Sometimes the temptation to taste the fudge and cookies was too great and we "snitched" a few pieces to eat. Our bake set a new record at Seaford High School for Junior class bakes.

Joan Wood

Mary Anne Strohmaier

Billy O'Day

Noreta Mulder

Ben Michael Patterson

Don White

Jean Smarte

Vernon Timmons

Jerry Smith

Jane Lemyske

Judy Ward

Ruth Sprenkle

Peggy Tull

Bill STEELE

Kenny Tull

Carole Hennaway

Gerry Phillips Bland

David A. Passwaters Jr.

Gale W. Petrea Jr.

Othea Shannon

Luco A. Williams III

Jane Ward

Jimmie Price

Frances Hope

Barbara Hill

Doris Hastings

Betty McGee

Jean Wann

Judy Hickman

Jim Milliken

Donald Hill

Howard R. McCabe

Maynard S. Eaton, Jr

Darwin Marcus

Richard Rawlins

Alf Gustafsson

Alan J. Lewis

Marvin Lloyd

Freddie Miner

Ruth Griffith

Sandy Bennett

JoAnn Allen

Gail Foster

Alan Glover

Barbara Sikes

Barbara Fry

Jack Cowley

Paul Clark

Robert C. Bennett

Sandra Friedel

Kay Boyce

Ruth Curfman

Judy Dennis

Andrew Conaway

Robert L. Allen

Dick B. Botdorf

Joan Flaherty

Rosemary Gullett

Bobby Choffnes

Marvin Adams

Ann Bloodsworth

Earl David

Ann Foard

Dave Brock

John W. Hartman

Carlton Jones

"Horace" Holland

Ed Howe

Donald Lankford

Diane Krewatch

Lynn B. Cowan

Myron "Mike" Williams

Whirling feet . . .
swishing gowns . . .
soft lights . . .

and the rhythmic
music of the
Orchettes . . .

Junior-Senior Prom

The Prom given in honor of the Class of '55 brings back memories of swaying palm trees, a sandy island, and the SLEEPY LAGOON.

Underclassmen

Officers

President ..... MARIE McBRIDE
Vice President ..... ROBERT KOUGH
Secretary ..... MARJORIE McBRIDE
Treasurer ..... JIMMY HUGHES
Historian ..... ALICE McCORMICK

CLASS COLORS
Red and White

CLASS FLOWER
Red Rose

CLASS MOTTO

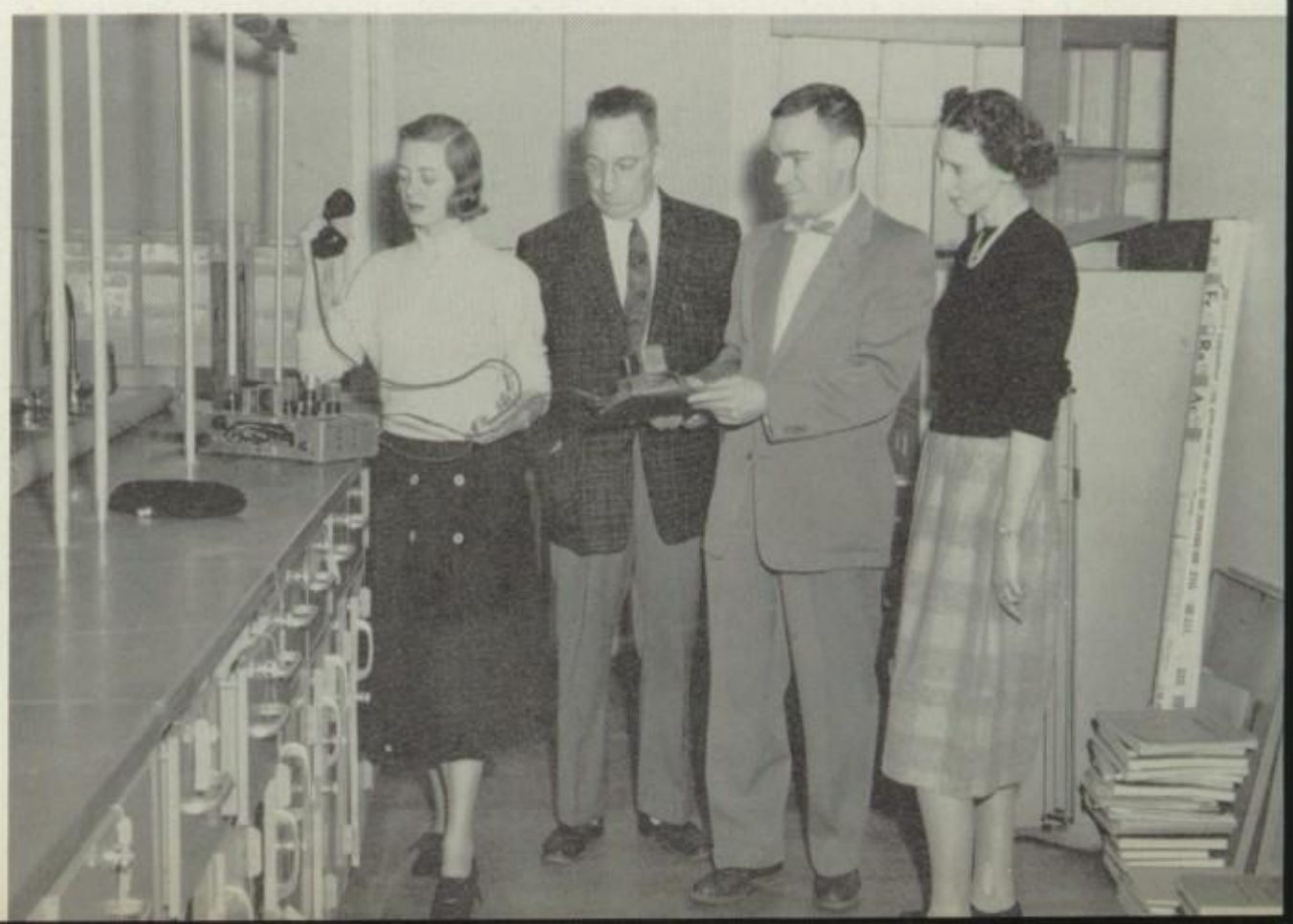
Nature has placed nothing so high
that virtue cannot reach it.

Kenny,
Best of luck to
that real crazy
"soda jerk" at the
canteen
Have fun
Be good.
Pat

Class of 1957

Sponsors

MRS. MOORE
MR. PAULEY
MR. CAMPBELL
MRS. DUNN



First row, left to right: R. Eskridge, J. Ellis, S. Emering, S. Fortner, C. Asbury, C. Buarque, J. Gladden, J. Achy, A. Ellis, J. Carback. Second row: J. Baker, N. Friedel, K. Drandroff, J. Gilbert, P. Allen, S. Ellett, J. Connor, D. Burris. Third row: R. Allen, C. Ellis, L. Calhoun, J. Bell, B. Booth, R. Geiger.

First row, left to right: J. West, G. Parks, H. Bartlett, M. Tyndall, M. Swift, R. Short, C. Ross, P. Rawlins, C. Rarick, C. Simon, L. Ringrose. Second row: K. Russell, K. Williams, R. Willey, J. Tobat, T. Temple, D. Short, J. Williamson, B. Riggins, K. Reynolds, M. Riddle, M. Hartman. Third row: P. Radding, C. Turner, B. Wetter, H. Turner, F. Thomas.

First row, left to right: S. Hardin, R. Holden, D. Hill, M. Hill, J. Hassan, J. Hallman, T. Johnson, J. Hastings, N. Hastings, R. Hickman. Second row: B. Harper, J. Hughes, C. Hastings, C. James, R. Ingram, R. Huston, H. Hollaway.

First row, left to right: D. Bryan, M. Jones, A. Mumford, A. McCormick, A. McDonald, N. Lloyd, Y. McMullen, L. Poynter, M. McBride, M. McBride. Second row: J. McCabe, J. Jones, W. Lyons, W. Litchford, R. Kough, B. Mateyka, G. McKenzie, S. LeCates, W. Meding, J. Marino, D. Murry, B. Petterson, B. McCauley.

Officers

MIKE McLAUGHLIN ..... *President*
GEORGE BELL ..... *Vice President*
CHARLOTTE FLEETWOOD ..... *Secretary*
MARIANNA SHERMAN ..... *Treasurer*
RONNIE HASTINGS ..... *Historian*

CLASS COLOR
Emerald Green

CLASS FLOWER
White Orchid

CLASS MOTTO

The future is in our hands.

Class of 1958

Sponsors

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Class of 1960

Class of 1961

DEFENSIVE TEAM

First row: D. Grosh, D. Botdorf, H. Holland, W. Harper, B. O'Day, D. Passwaters. Second row: W. Litchford, M. Adams, H. McCabe, J. Milliken, B. Steele.

Football 1955

OFFENSIVE TEAM

First row: M. Eaton, B. Petrea, C. Mahr, J. Hartman, C. Jones, A. Lewis. Second row: R. Kough, R. Chaffinch, D. Grosh, P. Clark, M. McWilliams.

SEAFORD 19 WICOMICO 14

The fighting bunch of Seaford Blue Jays scored a stunning upset over the Wicomico High Indians at Wicomico High School, 19-14. The victory came in the last 37 seconds of the game. The smaller Blue Jays just wouldn't be beaten. Each man played hard and well. It's a game long to be remembered.

SEAFORD 27 DELMAR 6

The first home game of the season brought the Blue Jays a 27-6 victory over Delmar High. After a scoreless first period the Jays broke loose for 4 touchdowns in the second stanza. Grosh did most of the ball lugging while making long runs of 98 and 55 yards. Seaford played their reserves throughout the second half.

VARSITY FOOTBALL SQUAD

First row: B. Steele, B. Petrea, P. Clark, B. Chaffinch, K. Tull, H. McCabe, A. Lewis, D. Passwaters. Second row: C. Mahr, B. Allen, H. Holland, A. Glover, C. Jones, M. Adams, M. Eaton, D. Grosh, J. Hartman, Coach Dowd. Third row: J. Trice, H. Turner, R. Allen, J. Conner, B. O'Day, R. Botdorf, J. Milliken, M. McWilliams, R. Ingram, R. Kough. Fourth row: F. Thomas, W. Lyons, C. James, C. Hastings, P. Radding, J. Hughes, W. Litchford, L. Calhoun, B. Harper.

SEAFORD 25 REHOBOTH 0

The Blue Jays continued their undefeated flight by thumping Rehoboth Beach High 25-0 on the seashore gridiron. The pattern was set at the beginning of the game, and never varied insofar as the Blue Jays crushing superiority was concerned. Eaton performed creditably at the quarterbacking post completing 9 of the 13 passes. Grosh gallantly led his team to victory.

SEAFORD 13 MILFORD 6

The Seaford High Blue Jays refused to be beaten despite the odds when they beat Milford High 13-6. Bob Chaffinch made both touchdowns. Dowd's lads defied the odds and they didn't believe the stories of those who said that Seaford didn't have a chance against the heavier and more experienced Buccaneers.

Coaches
ROBERT DOWD
FRANCIS McPHERSON

Captain
DAVID GROSH

MANAGERS

Darvin Marino, Jim Trice, Skippy Bowland, Johnny Lynch, Howard Hollaway, Harry Miller.

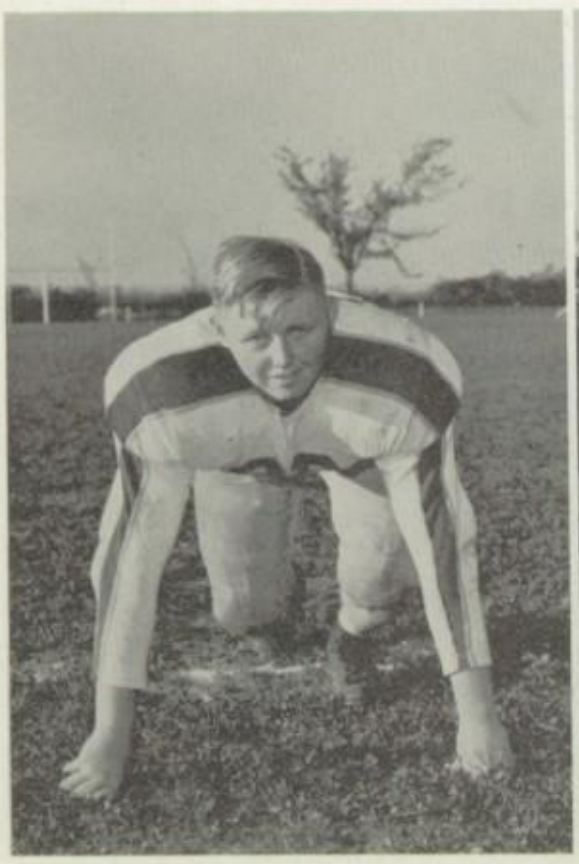
SEAFORD 35 DOVER 13

The Blue Jays scored three second quarter touchdowns in eight minutes last night and went on to wallop the Dover High Senators 35-13. Milliken, tackle, played a stellar game both on defense and offense. Mahr, Clark, McWilliams, Adams, Grosh, Chaffinch, Steele, McCabe, and Passwaters played an exceptional game. The Jays put the trimmings on the victory in the fourth quarter. The victory extended the Blue Jays undefeated record to six straight wins.

SEAFORD 33 GEORGETOWN 12

McCabe made good 16 of 22 passes, three for touchdowns, as our Seaford Blue Jays easily overpowered Georgetown High 33-12. It was the fifth straight win for the Blue Jays with 38 players seeing action. McWilliams was an offensive standout although his name did not figure in point-making.

Senior Stars



BILL O'DAY

DAVID PASSWATERS

HORACE HOLLARD

HOWARD McCABE

DAVID GROSH

JIM MILLIKEN

JOHN HARTMAN

CARL MAHR

KENNY TULL

DICK BOTDORF

ROBERT ALLEN

MYRON McWILLIAMS

JUNIOR VARSITY

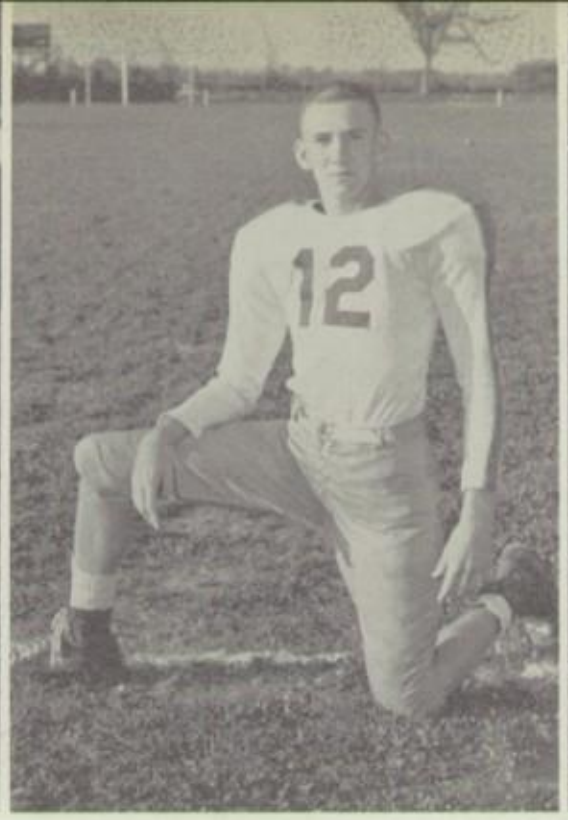
First row: G. Johnson, A. Ellis, B. Lank, R. Rice, B. Grahman, J. Litchford, B. Hollis, R. Parker, R. Hastings, M. McLaughlin, I. Handy, D. Bell, G. Murray, Krumm, J. Lynch, Coach McPherson. Second row: J. Hill, M. Mittleman, B. Price, D. Smith, W. Stack, A. Marvel, K. Russell, B. Parker, W. Jones, D. Reynolds, D. Carmine, B. Allen, K. Taylor, J. Hinkson, J. Dean. Third row: R. Carey, H. Figgs, J. Geiger, B. Pierce, E. Willin, J. Tull, M. Jones, R. Mears, D. Gilbert, B. Wetter, B. Marvel, S. Hopkins, R. Kennedy, B. Marvel.

BILL PETREA

ALAN LEWIS

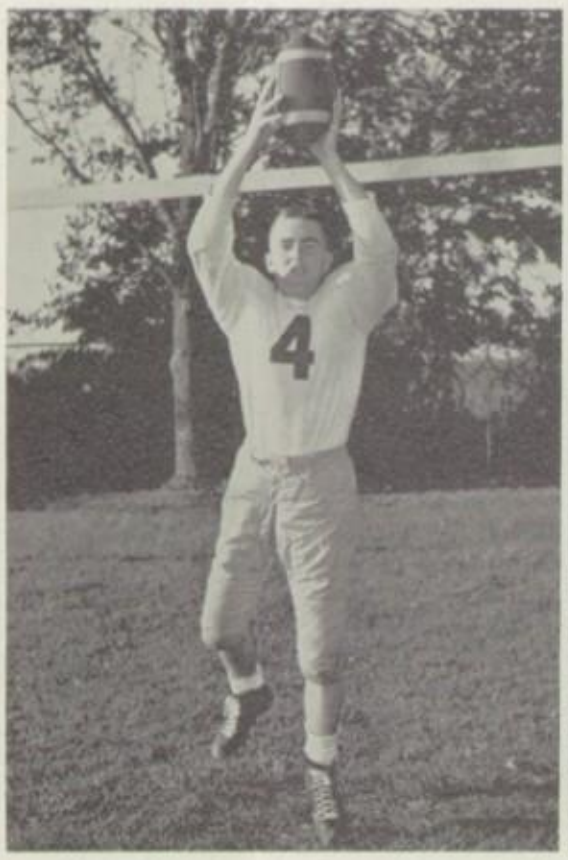
PAUL CLARK

CARLTON JONES



MARVIN ADAMS

MAYNARD EATON



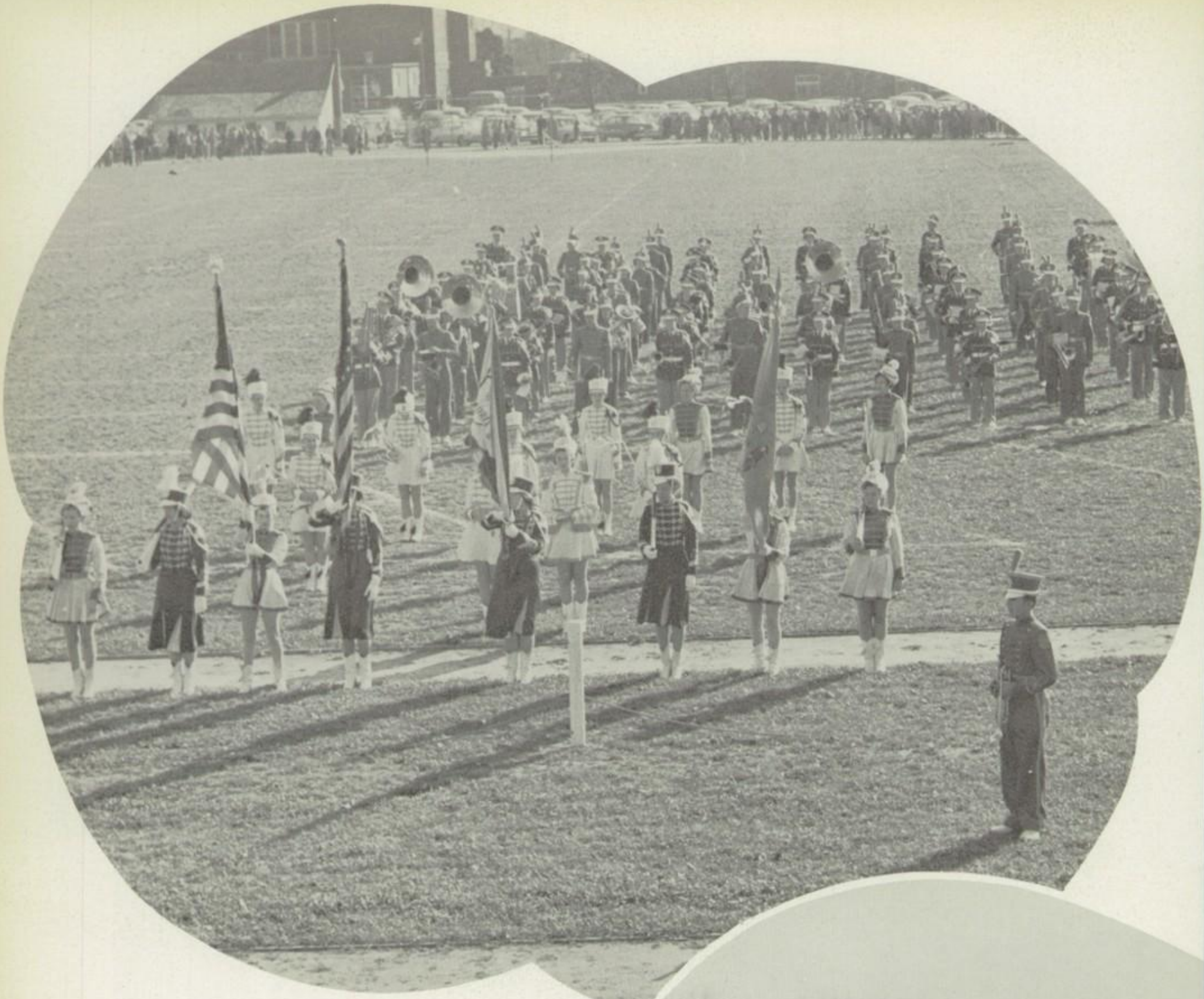
BILL STEELE

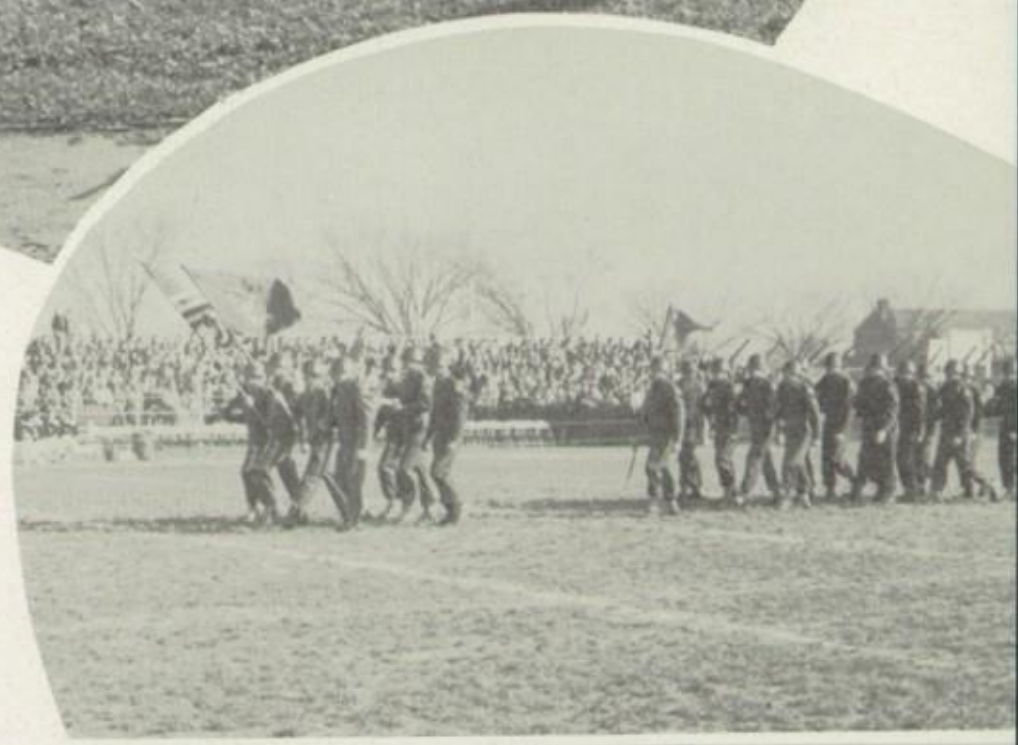
ALAN GLOVER

ROBERT CHAFFINCH

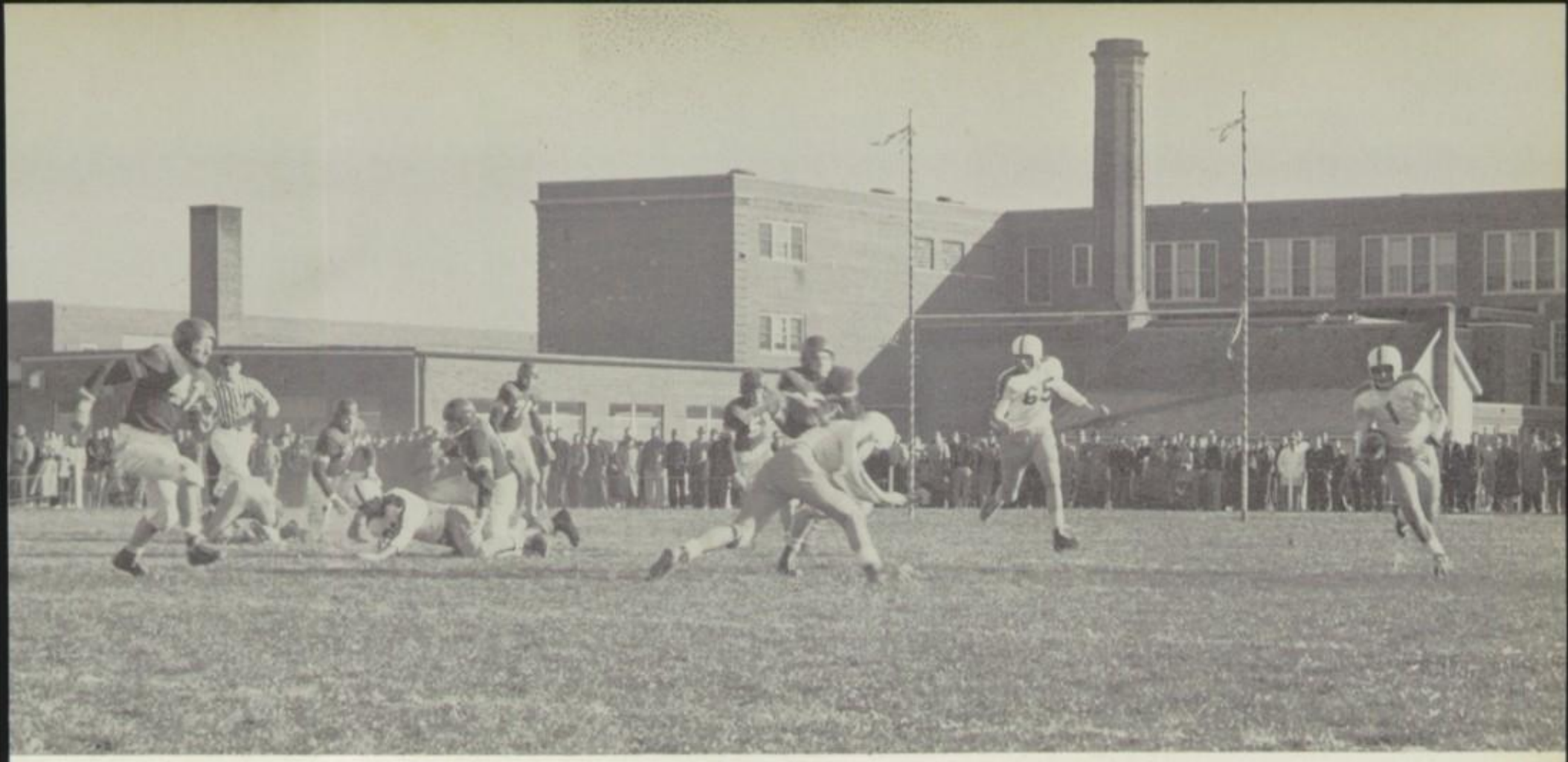
SEAFORD 32 LEWES 6

The Blue Jays continued their undefeated record on Saturday, November 12, 1955 on their home field. The eighth straight victory was prompted by two touchdowns from Paul Clark. Other touchdowns were made by Grosh, Passwaters, and Chaffinch. The Lewes team made their only touchdown during the last quarter. Coach Dowd used all 36 players in this final game before the Thanksgiving contest with Laurel.





Dedication of our new Athletic Field was held before the Thanksgiving Game with Laurel. It was a beautiful sight to see the combined school bands with color guards march across the field and stand at attention while the flag was raised. The Drill Team of Battery "D," Seaford Unit of the National Guard, displayed a formation drill. Dedication speeches were given by Dr. Madden and various other members of our community. The combined bands played our National Anthem which concluded the Dedication.



SEAFORD-LAUREL THANKSGIVING GAME

Our undefeated season draws to a close with our victory over the Bulldogs making our ninth straight victory.

SEAFORD—33 LAUREL—0

Girls at Practice

Field Hockey

First row, left to right: J. Achy, M. McBride, B. Hastings, F. Hope, F. Adams, M. Hill. Second row: C. Phillips, J. Temple, N. Lloyd, R. Gullett, S. Ellett, A. Bloodsworth, C. Dunaway, J. Fluharty, A. Ellis, A. McCormick, B. Hill, Manager.

First row, left to right: E. Comorat, J. Cordery, J. Fleetwood, J. Pepper, E. Kelly, K. Ellis, C. Fleetwood, S. Street. Second row: Miss Phillips, Coach; P. Paterson, S. Wilkerson, G. Hughes, M. Sherman, D. Rodney, B. Phillips, S. Smith, J. Price, J. Trim, D. Hitch, C. Hines, J. Howe, C. Baker, Manager.

Senior Players

ROSEMARY GULLETT

JANE TEMPLE

JOAN FLUHARTY

CAROLE DUNAWAY

FRANCES HOPE

BLANCHE HASTINGS

ANN BLOODSWORTH

CHARLOTTE PHILLIPS, *Coach*

CAROL BAKER, *Assistant Manager*

BARBARA HILL, *Manager*

First row, left to right: D. Grosh, R. Shannon, A. Conaway, E. Moore, B. Steele, Mr. McPherson, Coach. Second row: R. Kough, D. Parker, J. Bell, R. Geiger.

Boys' Basketball

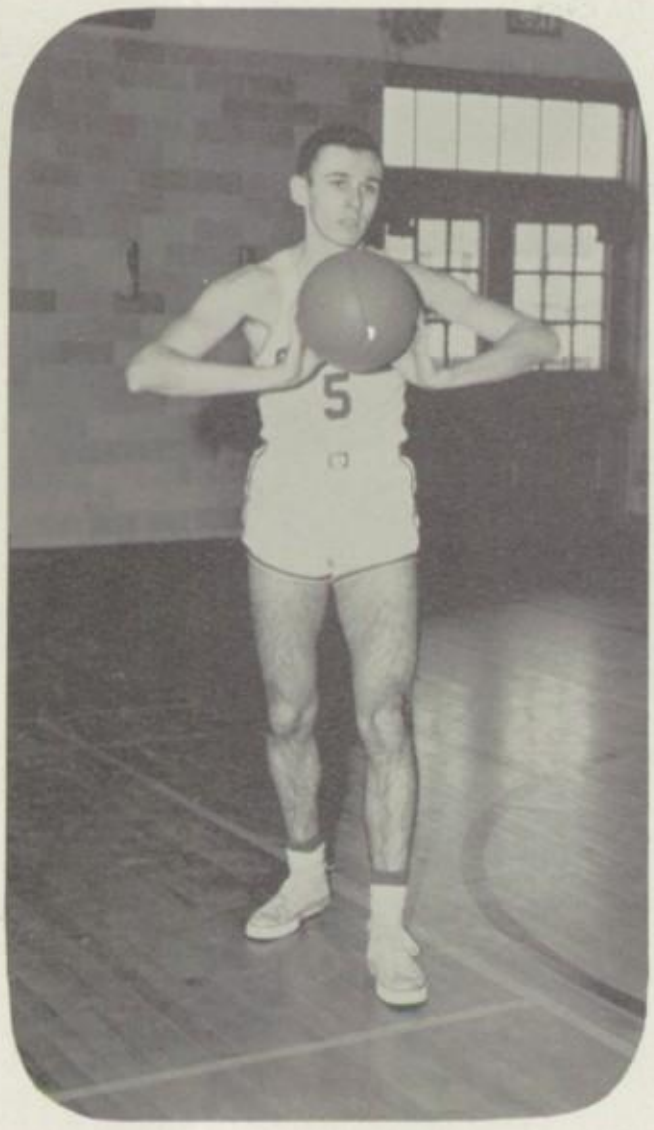
Managers
JIMMY TRICE
JOHN HARTMAN
DARWIN MARINO

First row, left to right: B. Coffin, R. Rice, D. Bell, J. Hinkson, J. Geiger, S. Pierce, D. Smith. Second row: G. Johnson, B. Lank, M. McLaughlin, R. Hastings, R. Carey, J. Derr, B. Taylor, Mr. Wheatly, Coach.

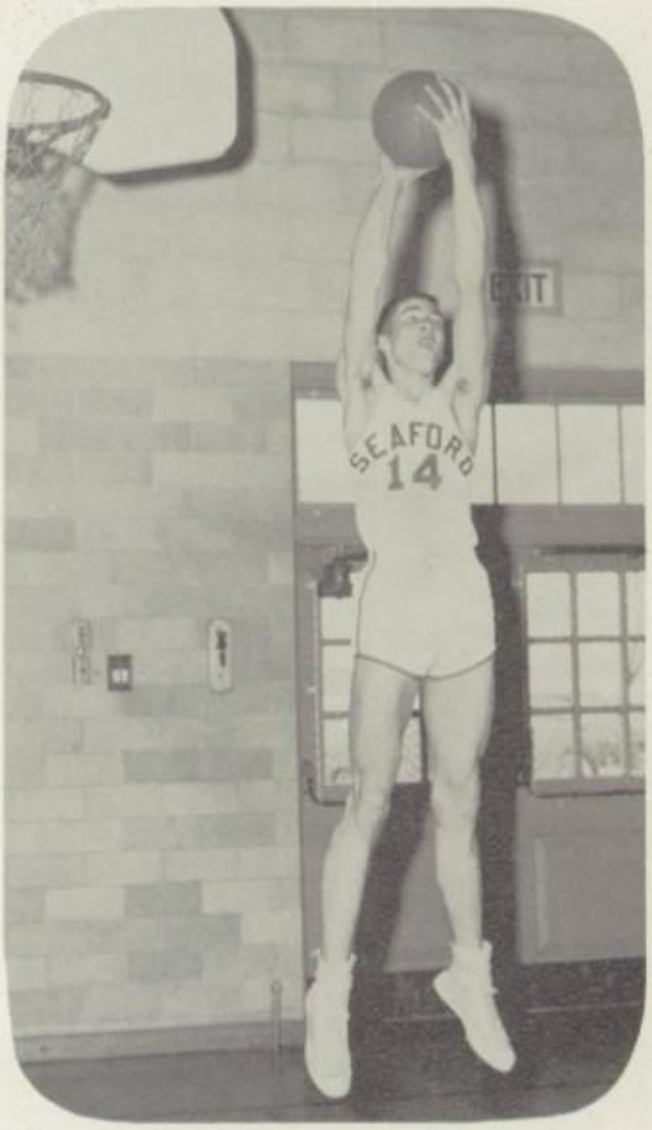
FACULTY—VARSITY GAME

The Varsity boys played the faculty on February 22. "Miss Blue Jay" was crowned during the half and the rest of the game was played in her honor. This game is one of the activities looked forward to by both students and teachers alike each year.

Senior Stars



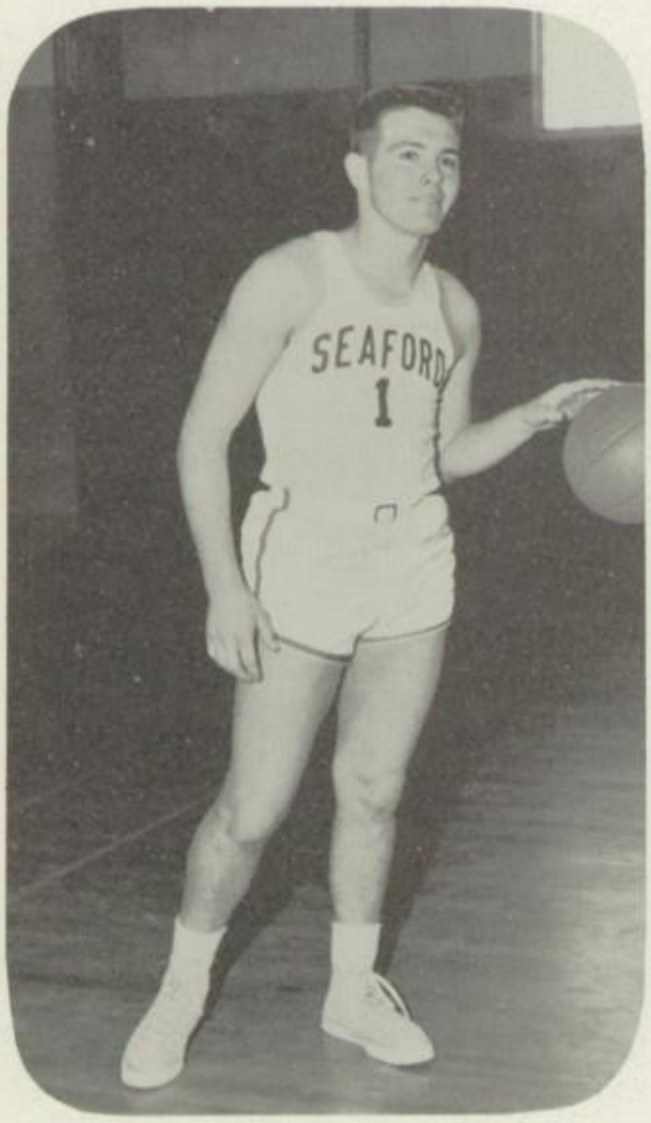
EDWARD MOORE



ANDREW CONWAY

BOYS' SCHEDULE

Seaford	71	Delmar	62
Seaford	66	Georgetown	50
Seaford	31	Rehoboth	63
Seaford	58	Laurel	63
Seaford	44	Dover	57
Seaford	62	Georgetown	53
Seaford	66	Delmar	47
Seaford	53	Laurel	50
Seaford	58	Salisbury	71
Seaford	53	Milford	47
Seaford	53	Dover	51
Seaford	63	Salisbury	67
Seaford	52	Milford	58
Seaford	58	Rehoboth	75



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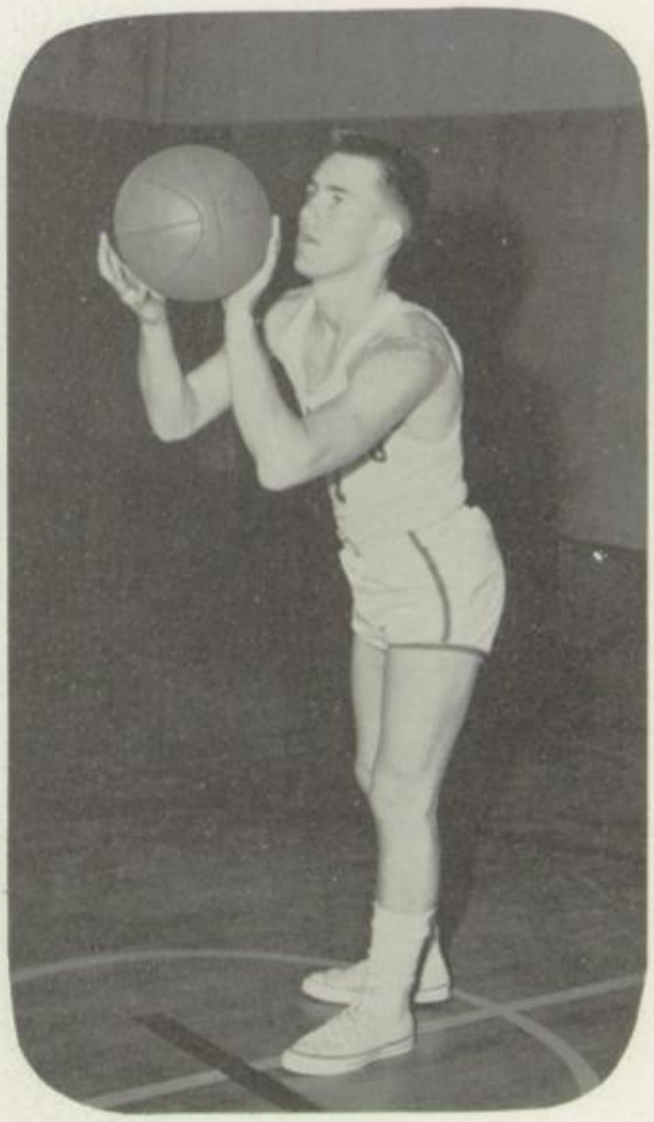

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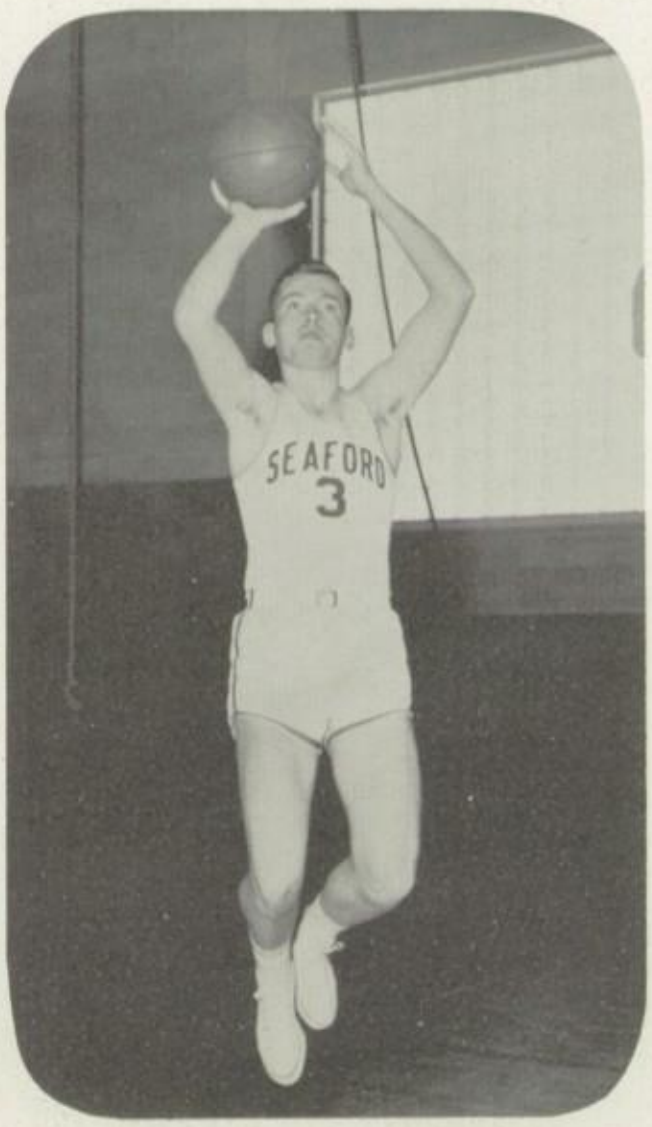


RHEA SHANNON

Left to right: J. Temple, A. McCormick, F. Hope, S. Fortner, M. Hill, M. McBride. Second row: R. Gullett, C. Rarick, C. Dunaway, P. Rawlins, S. Hassan, J. West, Miss Phillips.

Girls' Basketball

Senior Stars

CAROLE DUNAWAY—Guard

JANE TEMPLE—Forward

FRANCES HOPE—Guard

Girls at Practice

Managers

S. PEASE

J. CORDERY

K. ROSS, Absent

S. ELLIOTT, Absent

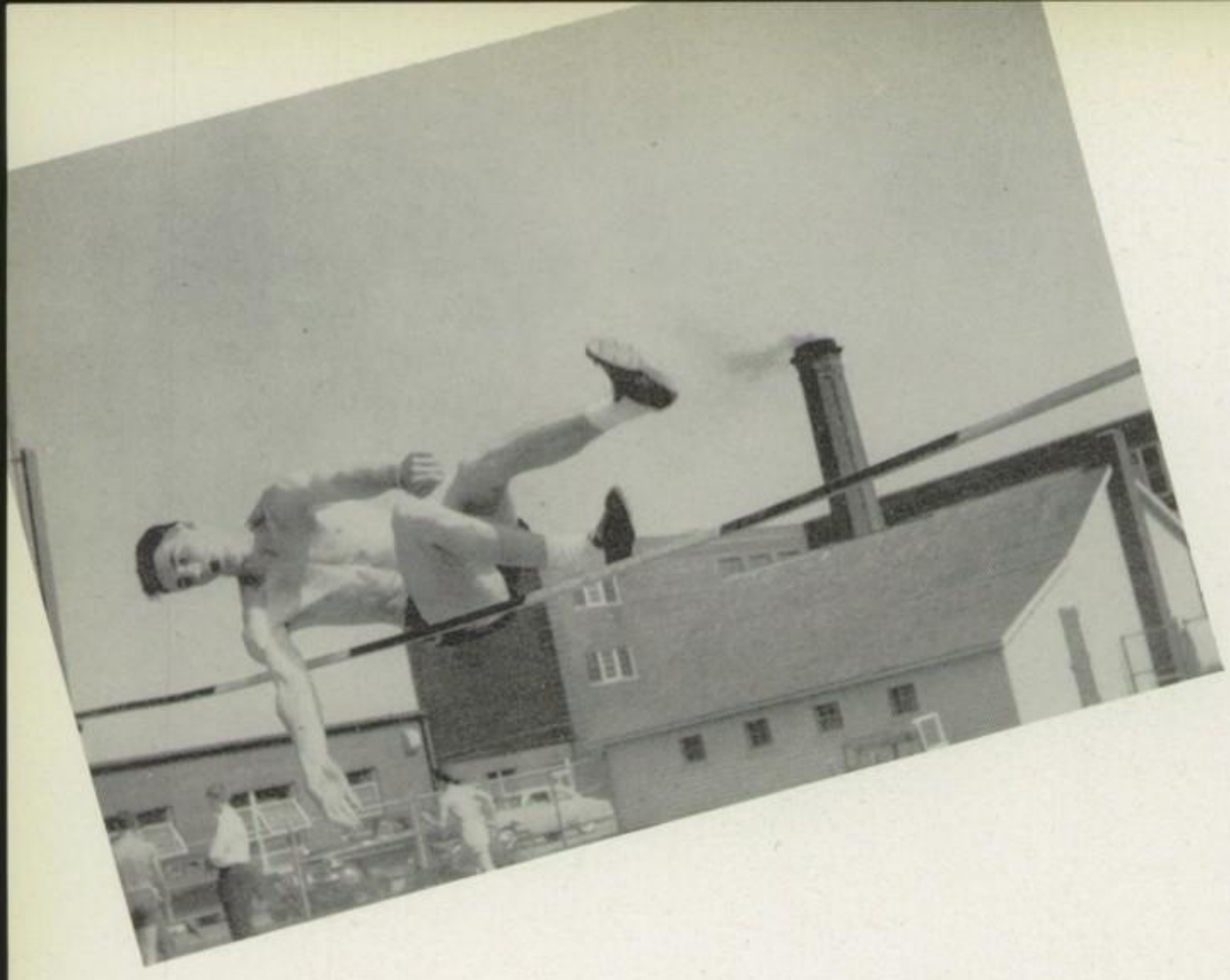
First row, left to right: J. Pepper, E. Comorat, P. Patterson, K. Ellis, J. Sullivan, J. Howe, C. Fleetwood. Second row: S. Wilkinson, V. Breasure, D. Rodney, B. Phillips, J. Trim, G. Hughes, B. Bowden, M. Sherman, Miss Phillips, Coach.

ROSEMARY GULLETT—Forward

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE
1955-1956

Delmar	23	Seaford	58
Georgetown	31	Seaford	23
Dover	44	Seaford	40
Laurel	52	Seaford	32
Georgetown	34	Seaford	25
Delmar	36	Seaford	43
Laurel	54	Seaford	42
Wicomico	46	Seaford	29
Dover	53	Seaford	40
Milford	39	Seaford	45
Wicomico	37	Seaford	32
Milford	43	Seaford	48

SEAFORD-LAUREL THANKSGIVING DAY TROPHY



Track 1955

New Track

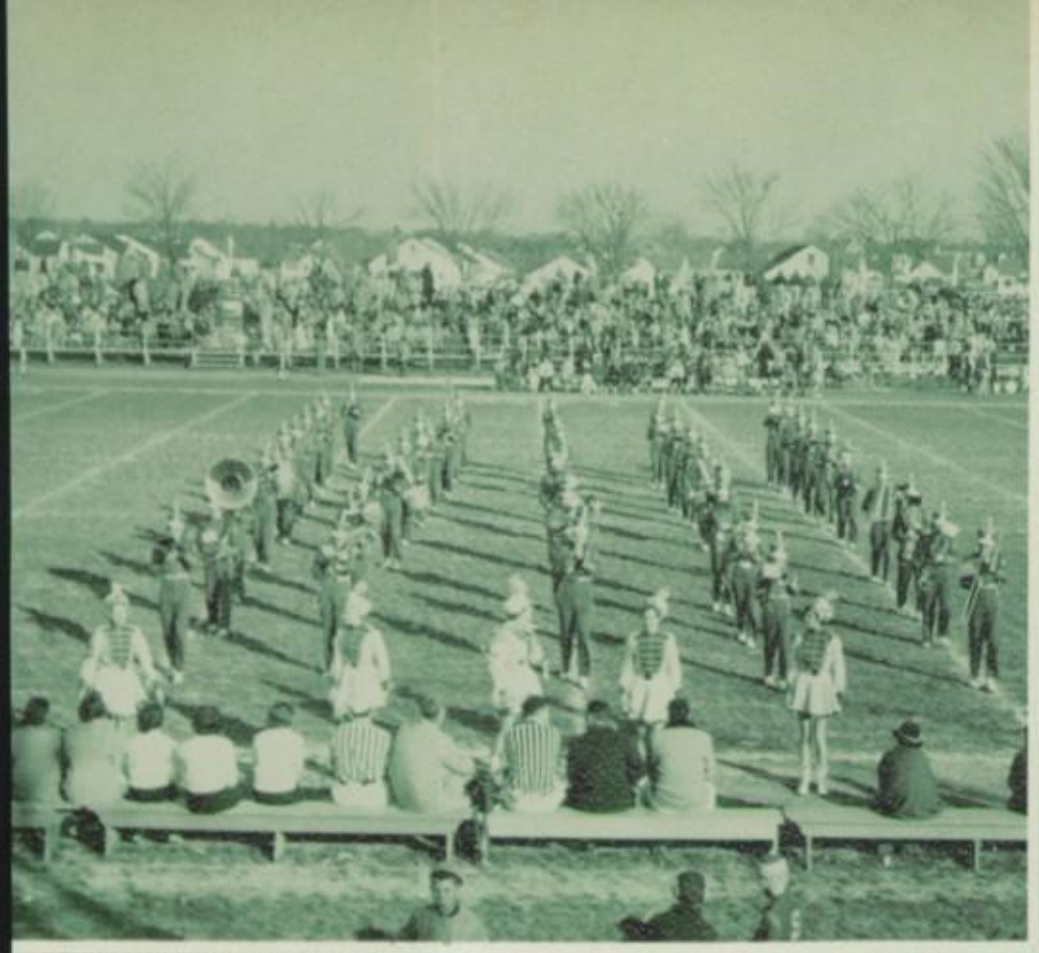
1955 saw Seaford track team with a new track, a new coach and new boys. But with a combination of team spirit and hard work, they established themselves as one of Seaford's best track teams.

They won many small meets and gave good accounts of themselves in many of the larger ones, such as the Peninsula Relays and the Penn Relay. They placed 5th among *all* Delaware high schools in the state meet. Probably their most outstanding performance was winning the first Annual Dover Relay. 1955 also saw Seaford establish its first invitational meet. The team entered a total of 10 meets.

Coaches Leon Ellis and Pete Mollahan had about 60 candidates for track. This included a successful Junior High team, also.

Seaford High Cheerleaders

J. Temple, E. Comorat, N. Lloyd, J. Trim, J. Pepper, F. Adams, C. Simon, N. Hutton, C. Dunaway, M. Hill, J. Achy, M. McBride.



SEAFORD CHAPTER

"To promote better understanding between pupils and teachers" is the motto and purpose of the Student Council of Seaford High School. The 1955-1956 Student Council was led by Carlton Jones, President; Maynard Eaton, Vice President; Frances Hope, Secretary; Robert Kough, Sergeant-at-Arms.

The Student Council contributed three hundred dollars to the Athletic Association and eighty dollars to the Blue Jay, school newspaper.

On May 2, for the high school assembly, the Student Council gave their annual talent show. Members of the student body participated.

The Student Council made possible the Student Passes to Theaters in Seaford and Bridgeville for all the student body. In cooperation with the local theater owners, the students were given reduced prices.

Student Council

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National Honor Society

The Seaford Chapter of the National Honor Society, organized in 1954, recognizes outstanding students on the basis of Scholarship, Service, Character, and Leadership. Its active membership is made up of Juniors and Seniors, while eligible members of the Sophomore class are elected on a probationary basis.

Probationary Members

Future Farmers of America

To create an interest in farm life and thereby develop agricultural leadership is the main aim of the Local Chapter of Future Farmers of America.

In addition to many local activities the boys send delegates to farm shows and conventions in other sections of the country. Under the able leadership of Mr. O'Day, Seaford's F.F.A. is an active branch of the National organization.

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in Driving Car

Instructor
MR. MINNICK

Miss Blue Jay Contest

Miss Blue Jay—ROSEMARY GULLETT

JANE WARD MARTIN
FRANCES HOPE

CAROLE DUNAWAY
JANE TEMPLE

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CAROLE DUNAWAY, *Editor-in-Chief*

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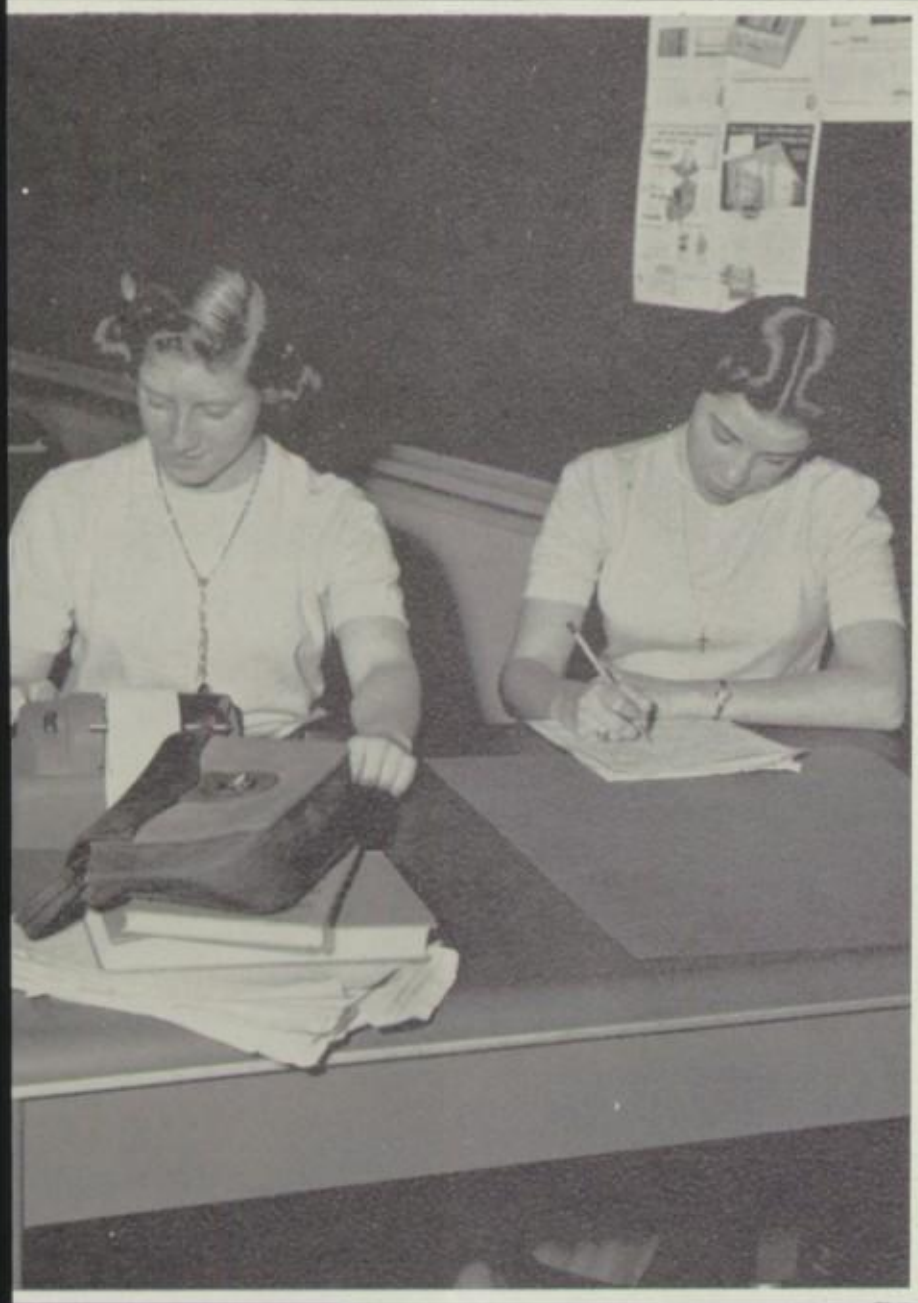

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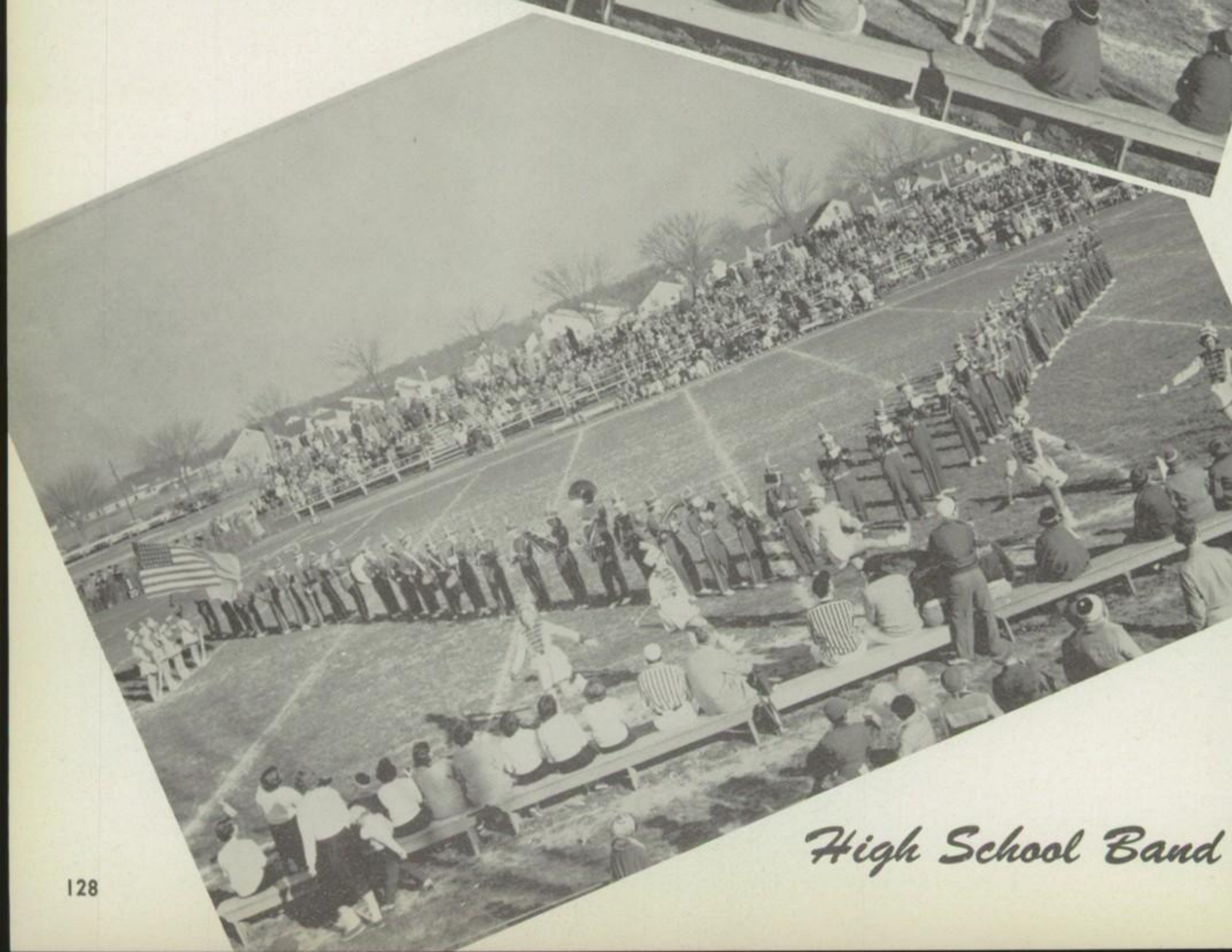

High School Band

HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS

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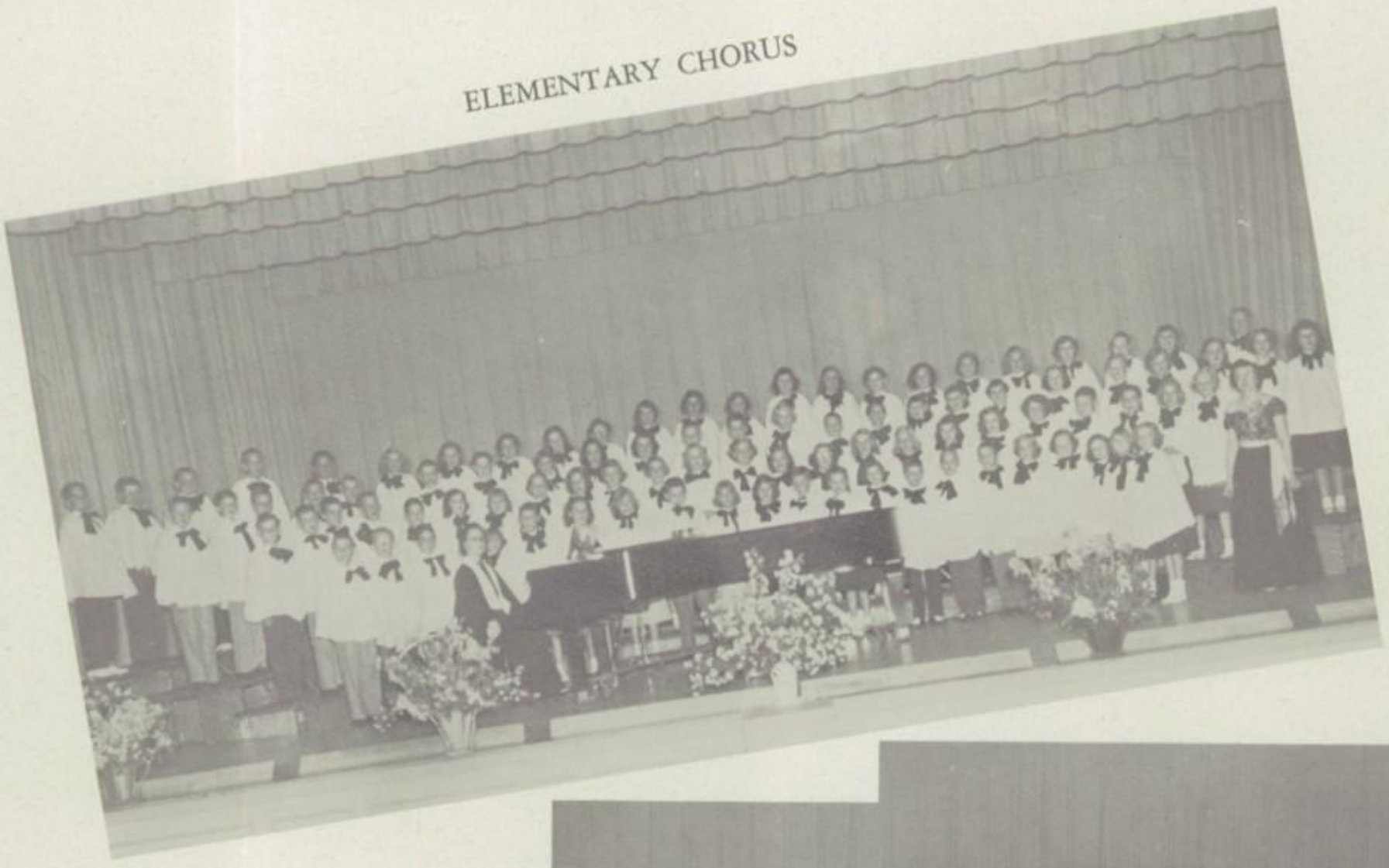

JUNIOR HIGH CHORUS

MISS JOAN STEELE
Director

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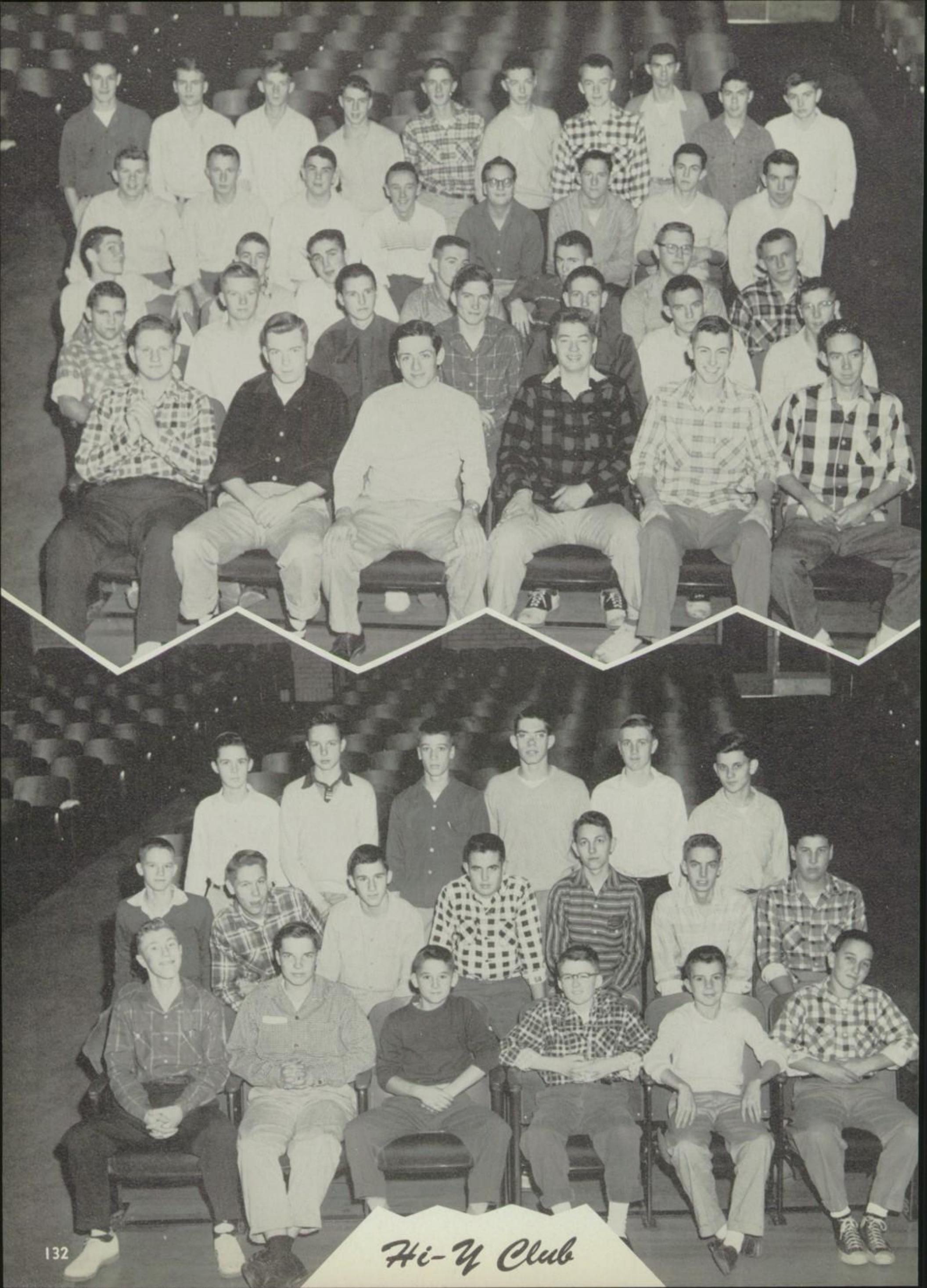

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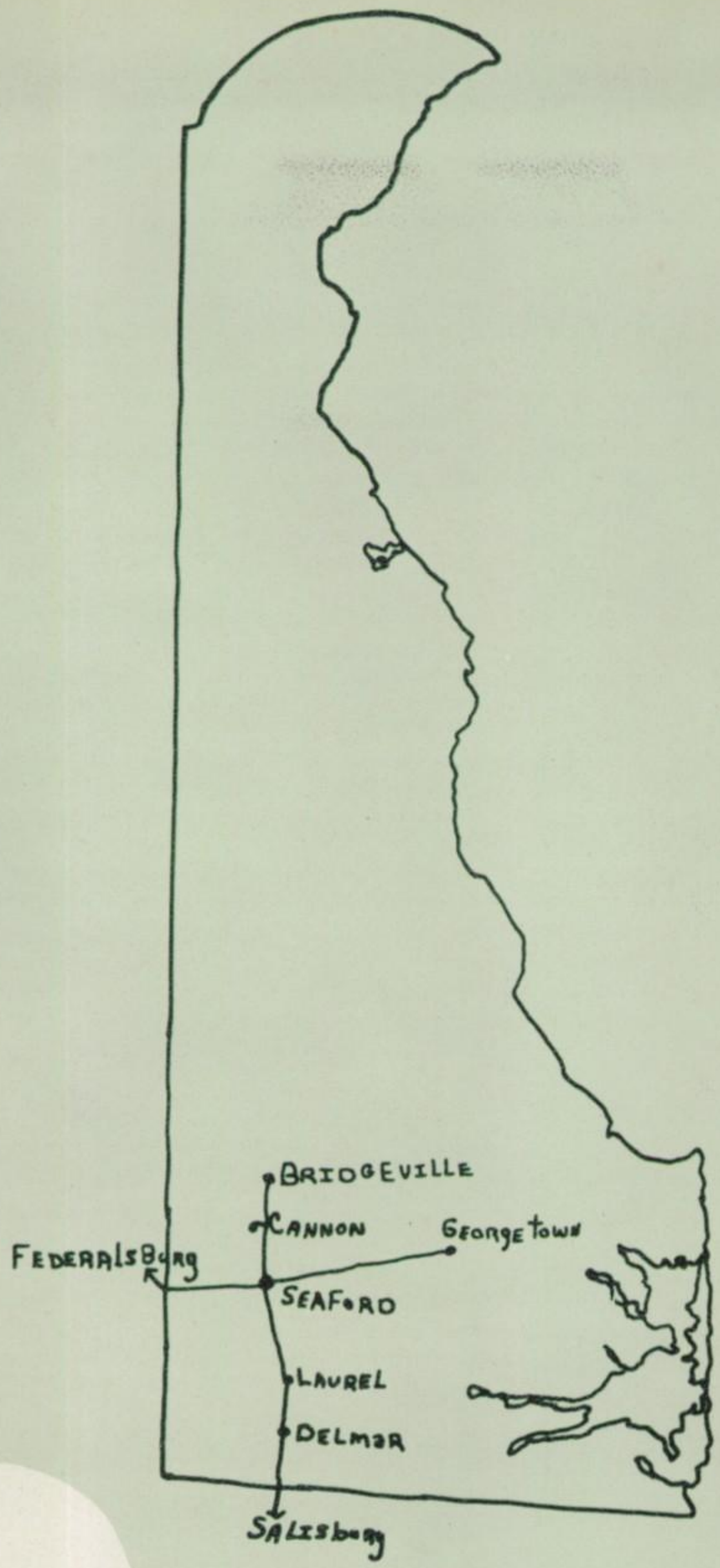
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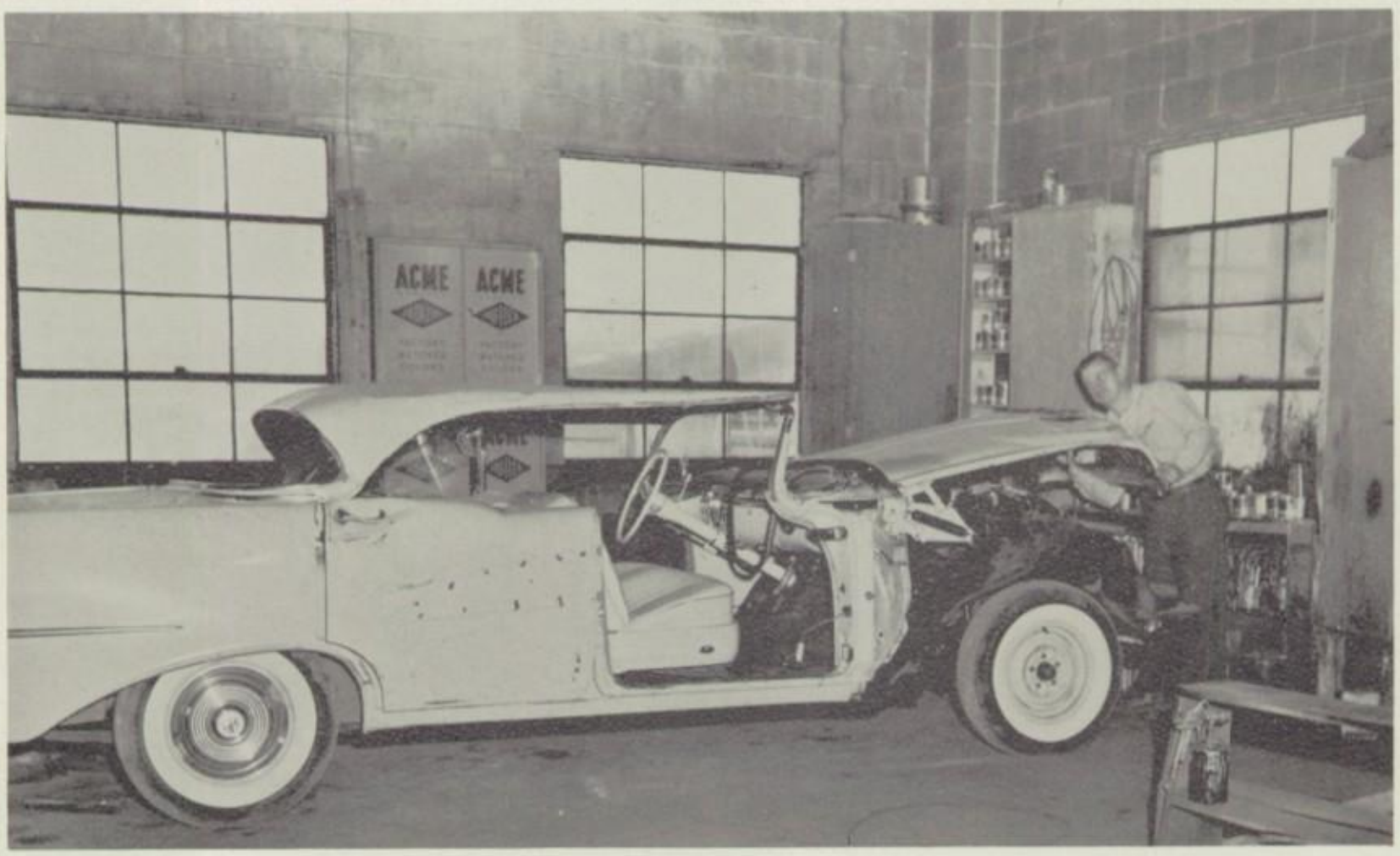

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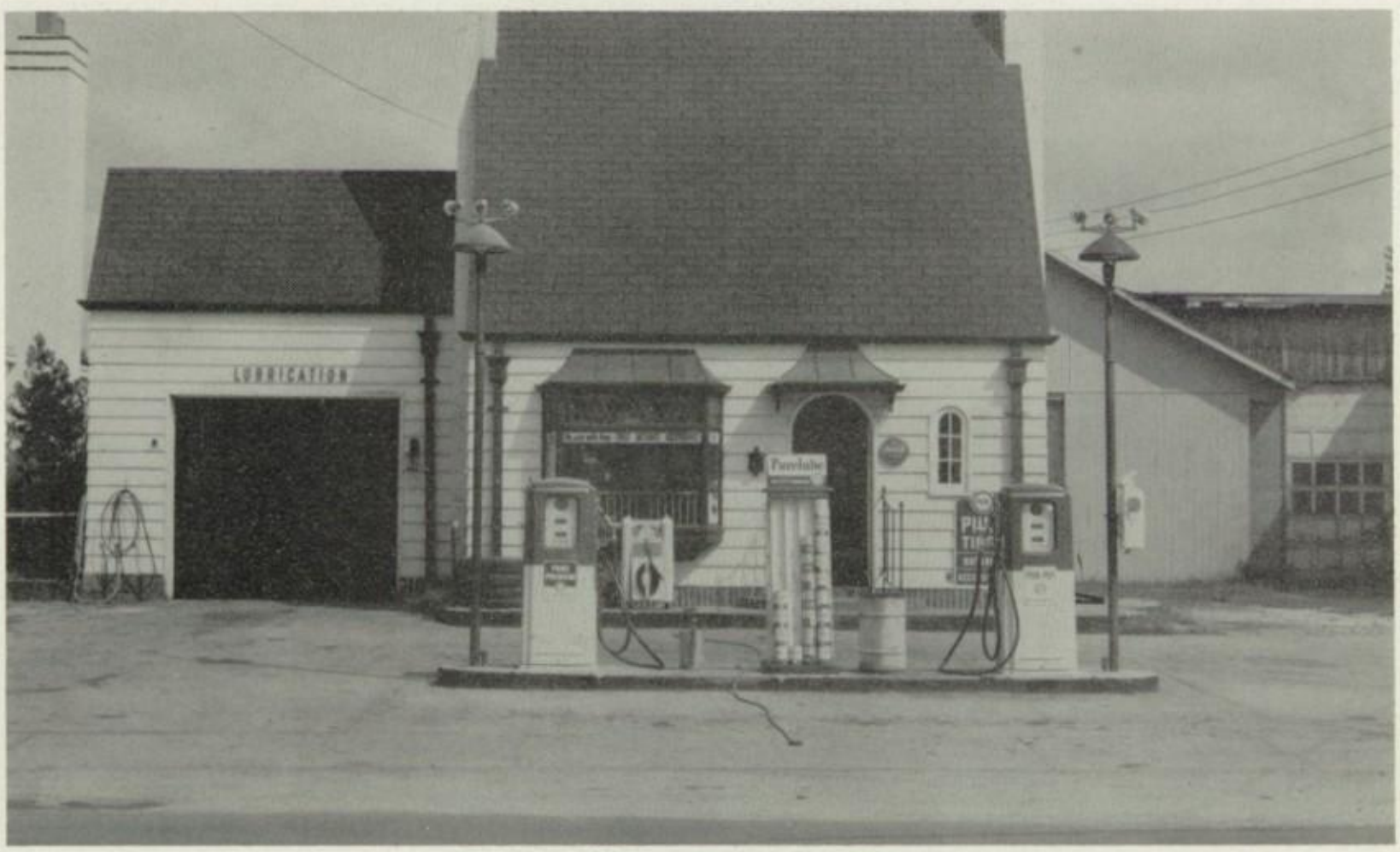

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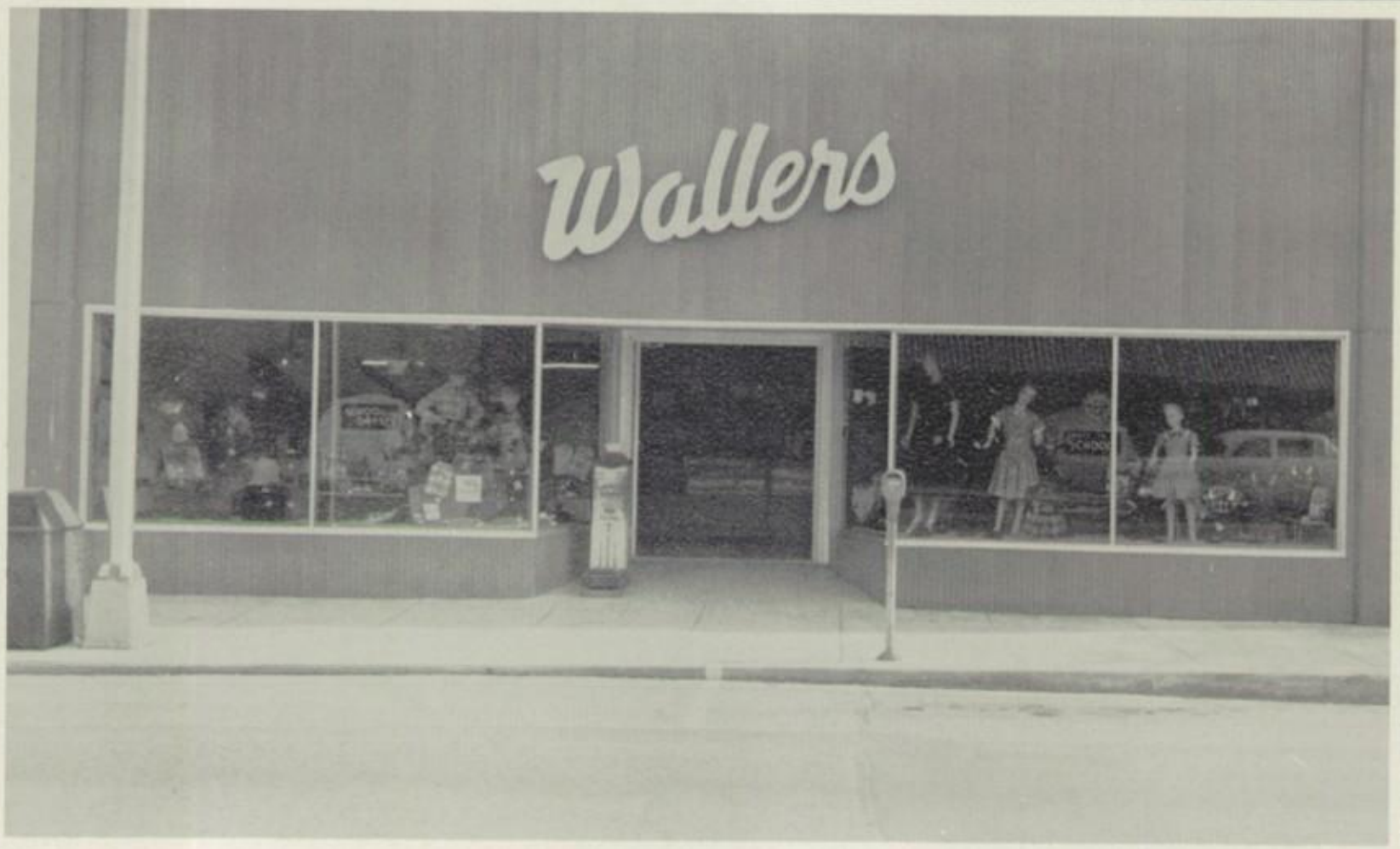

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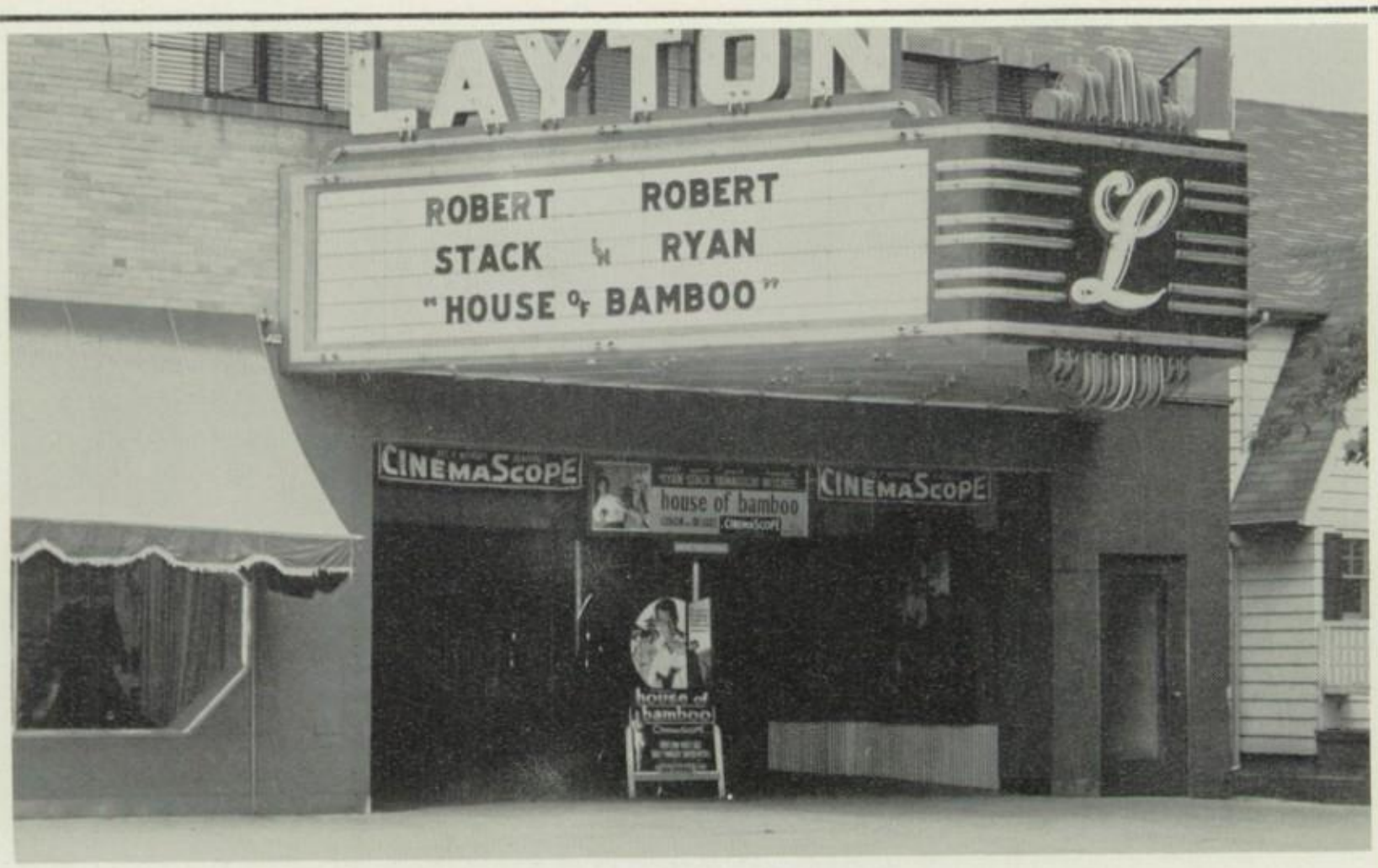

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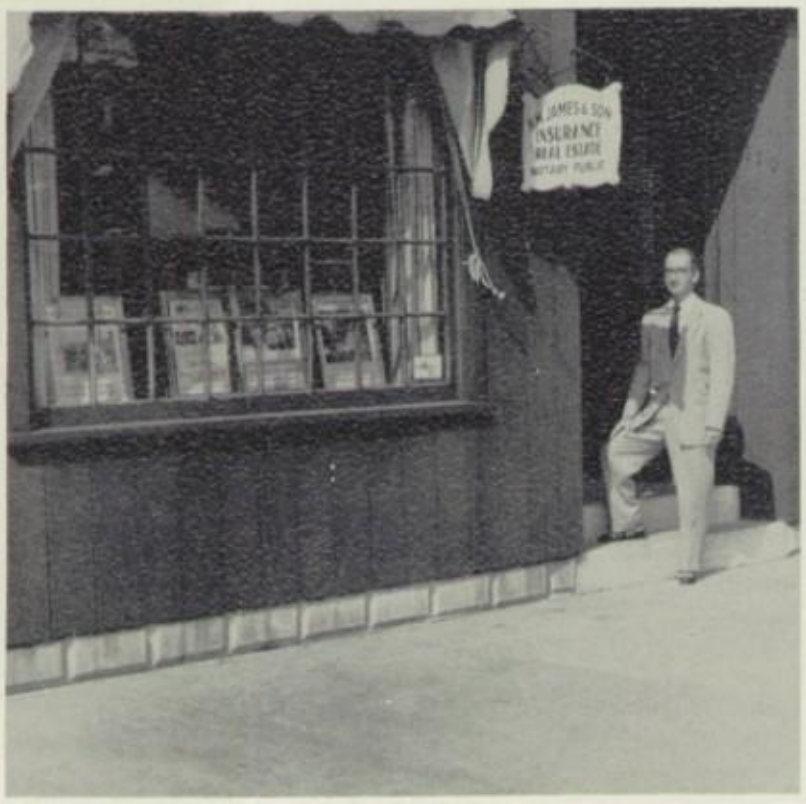

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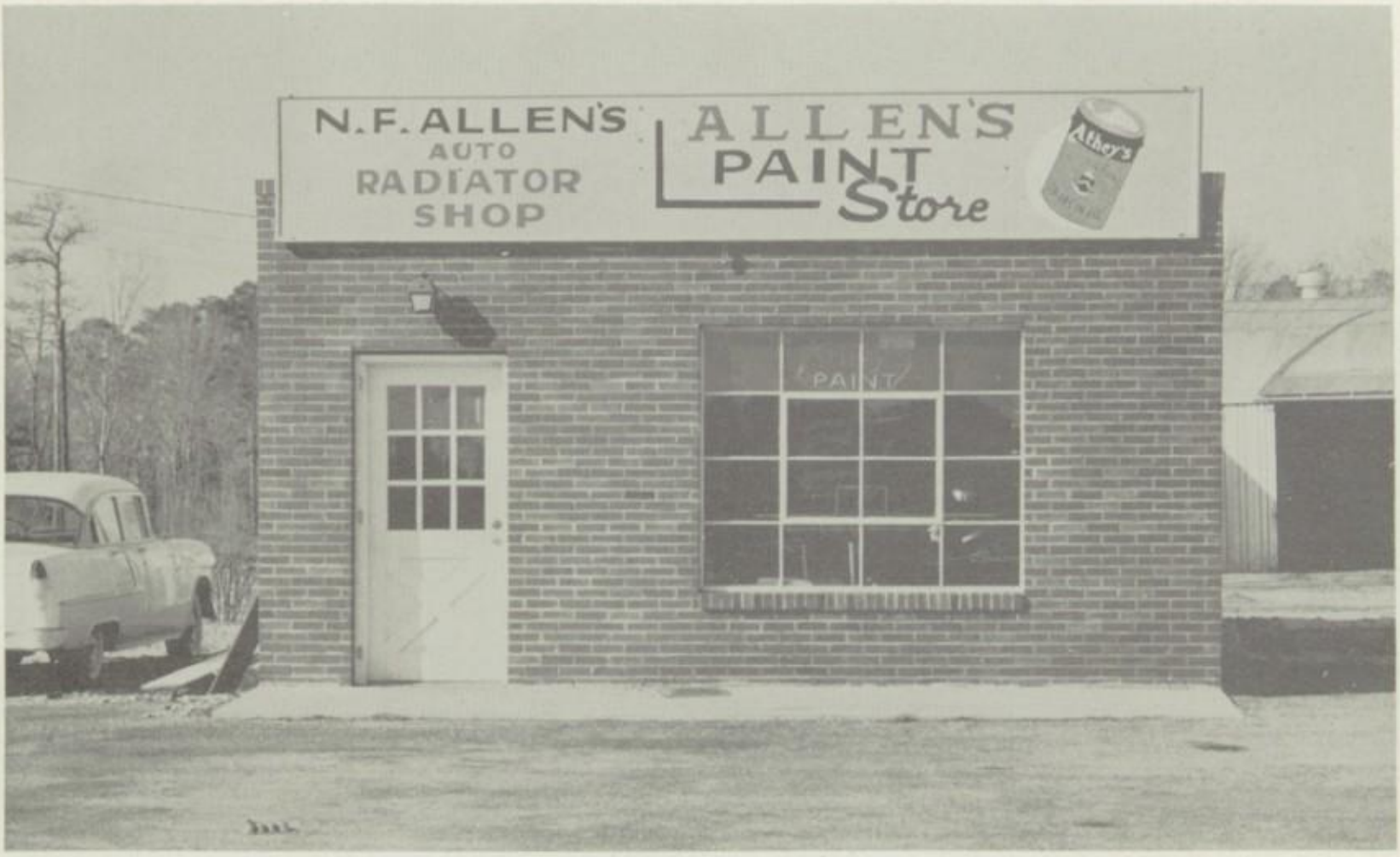

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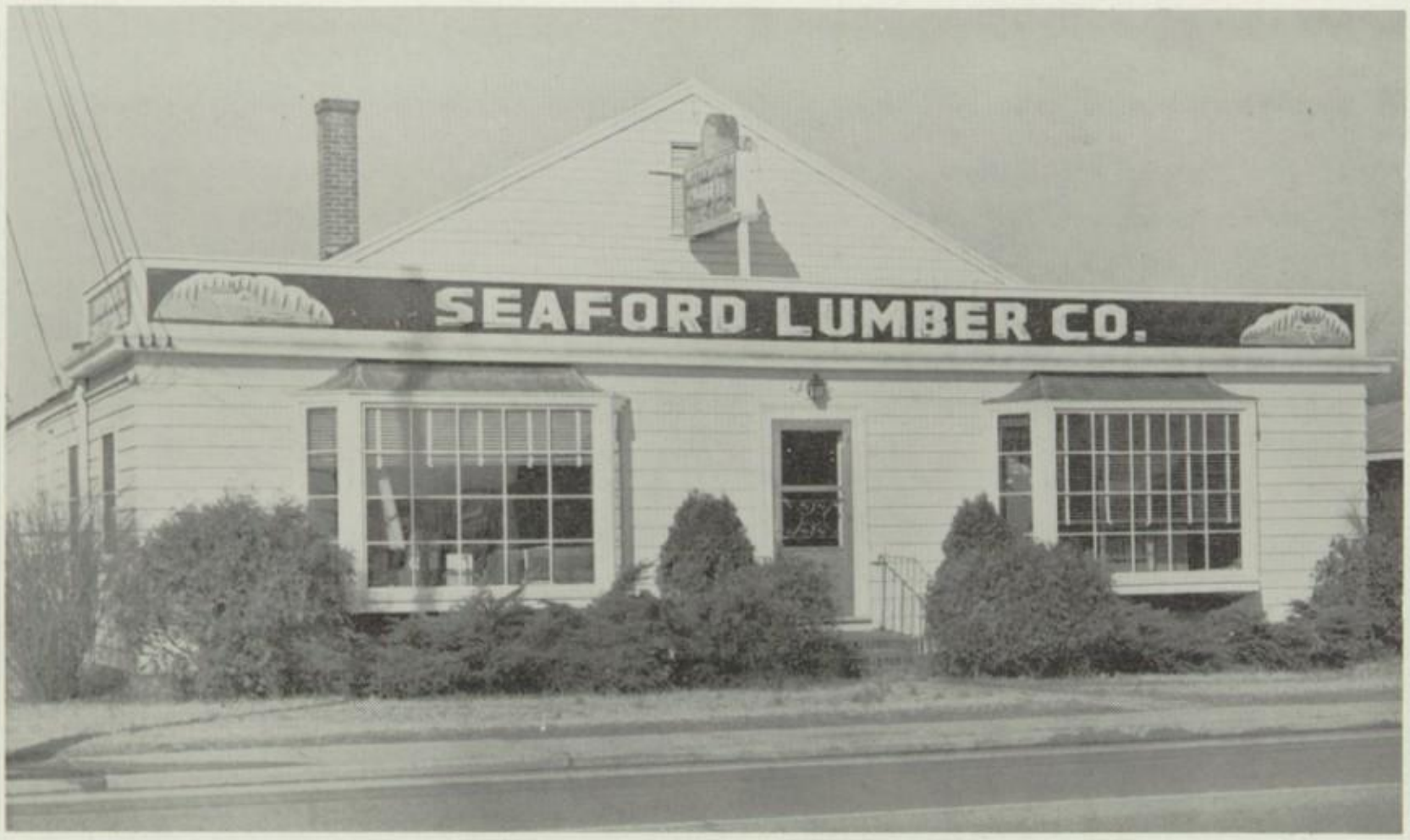

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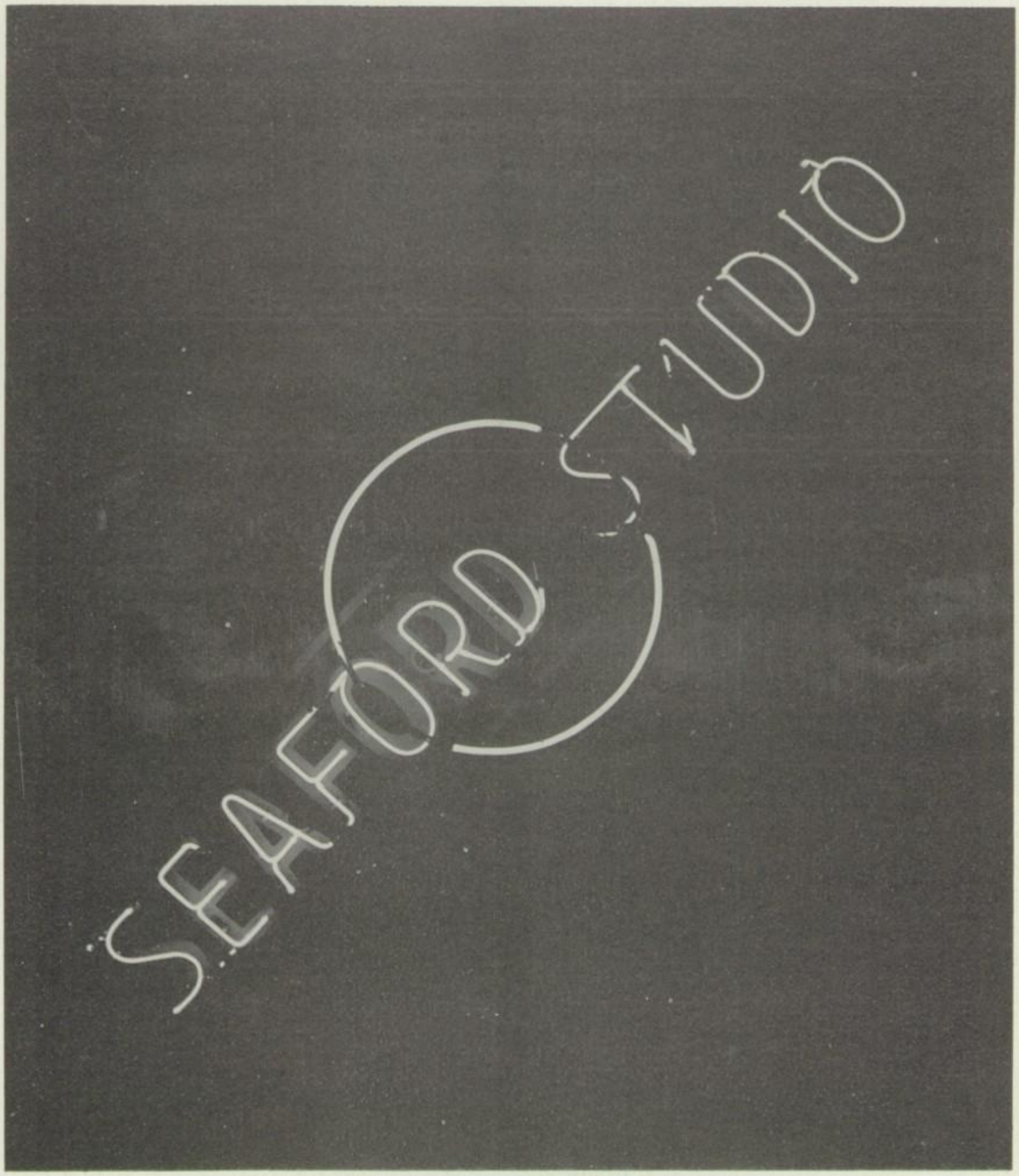

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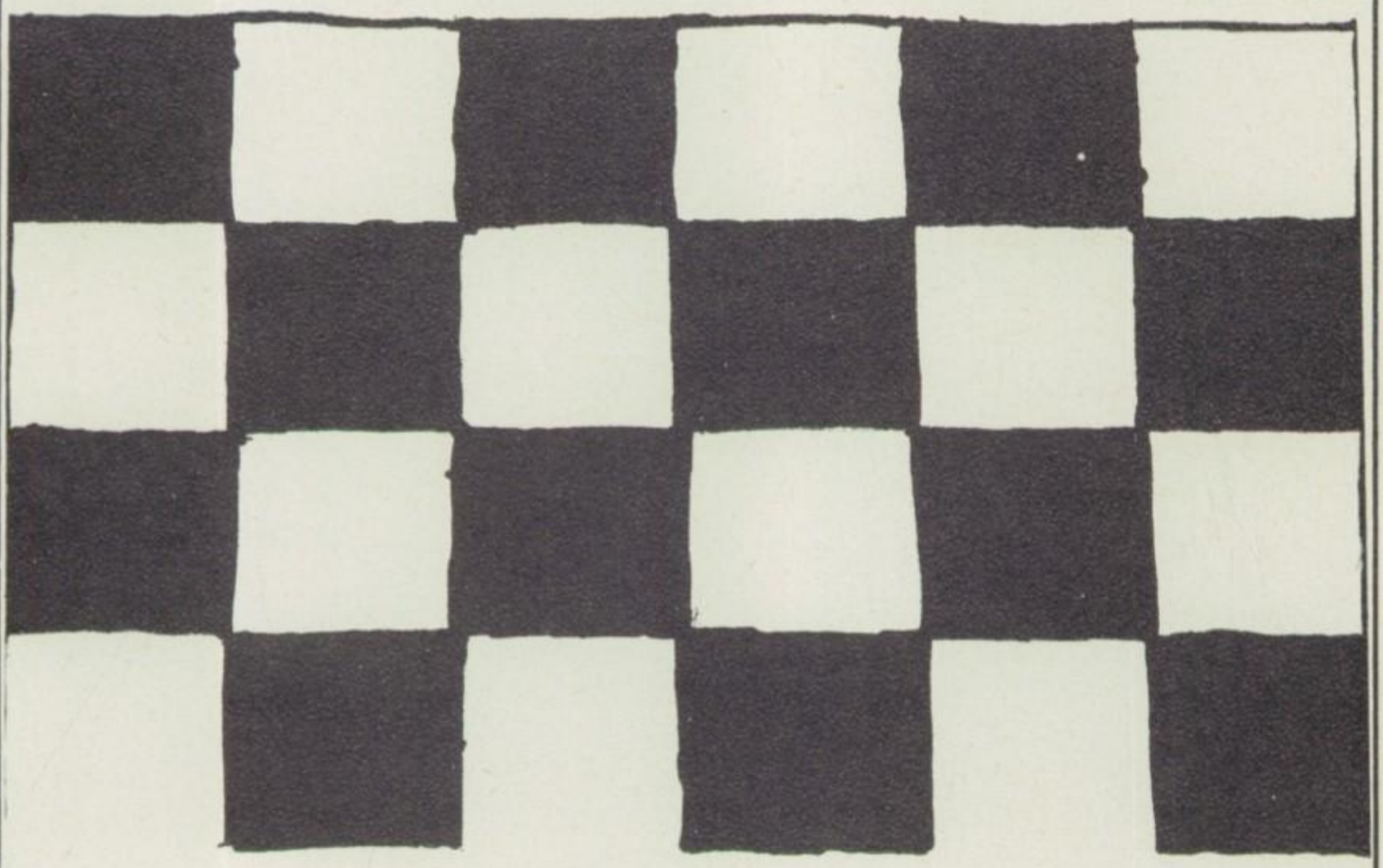

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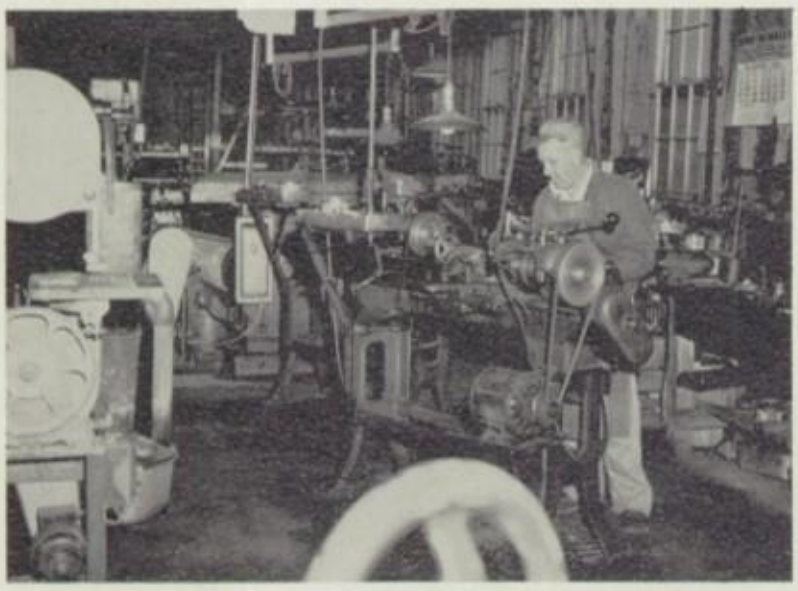

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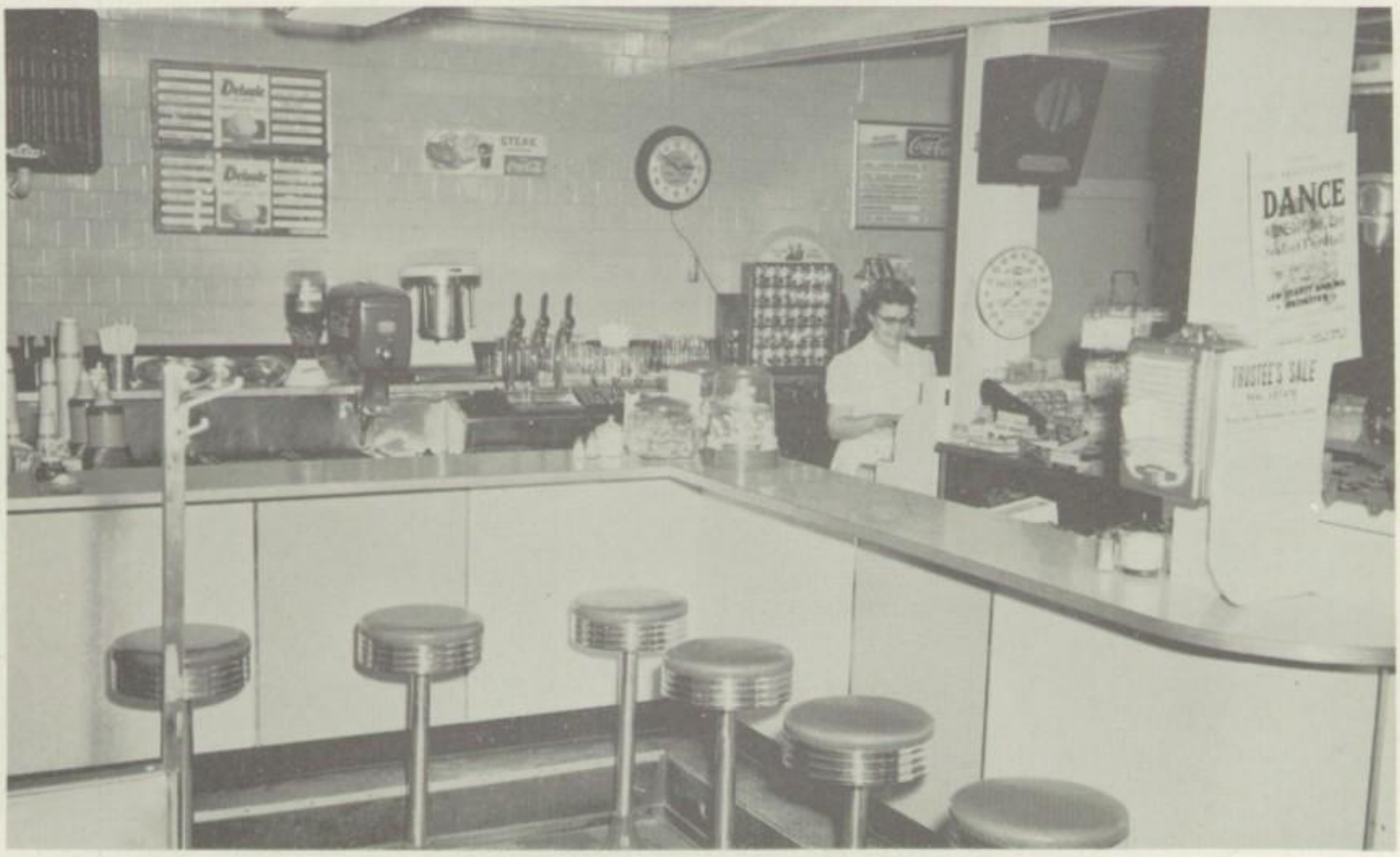

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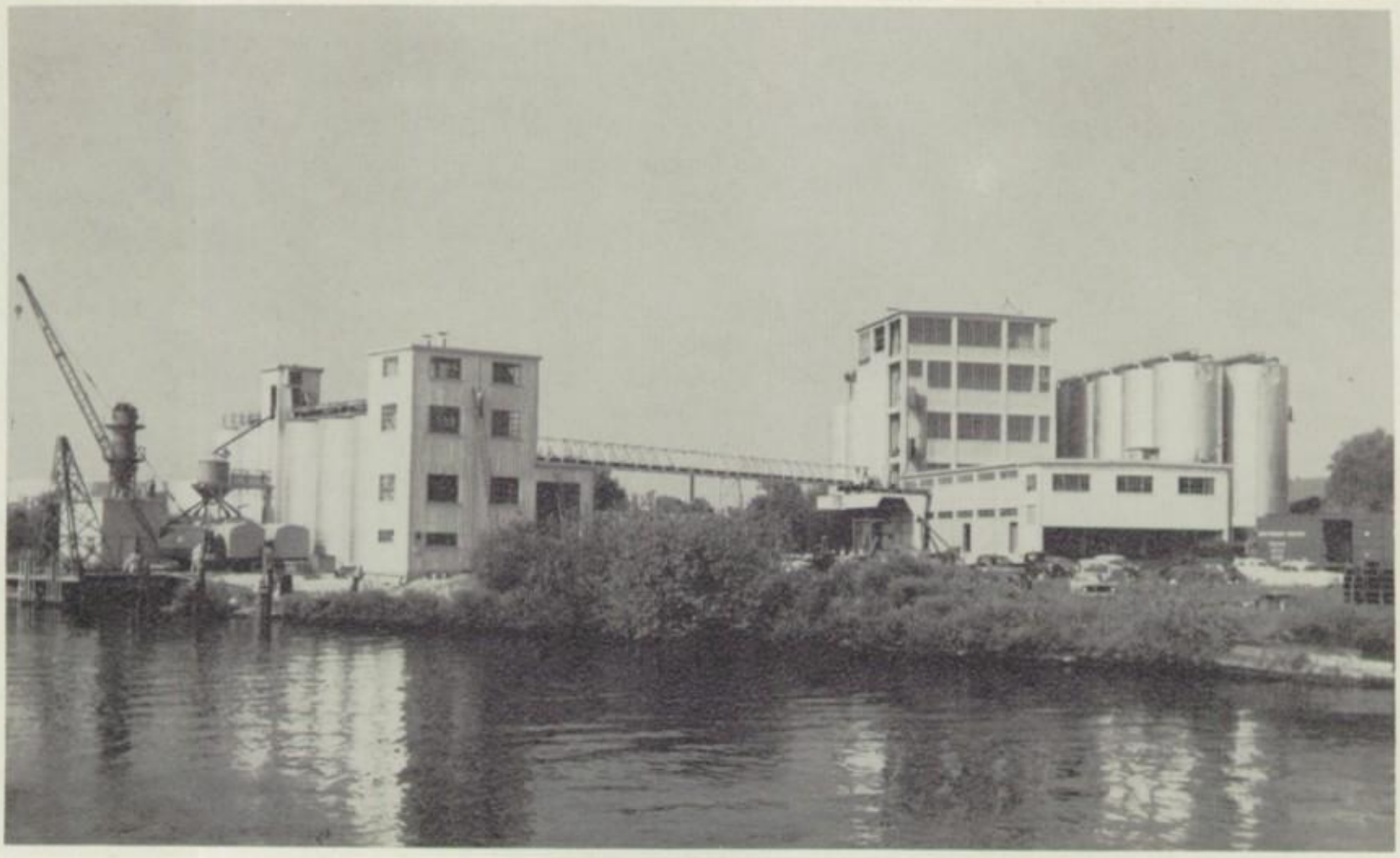

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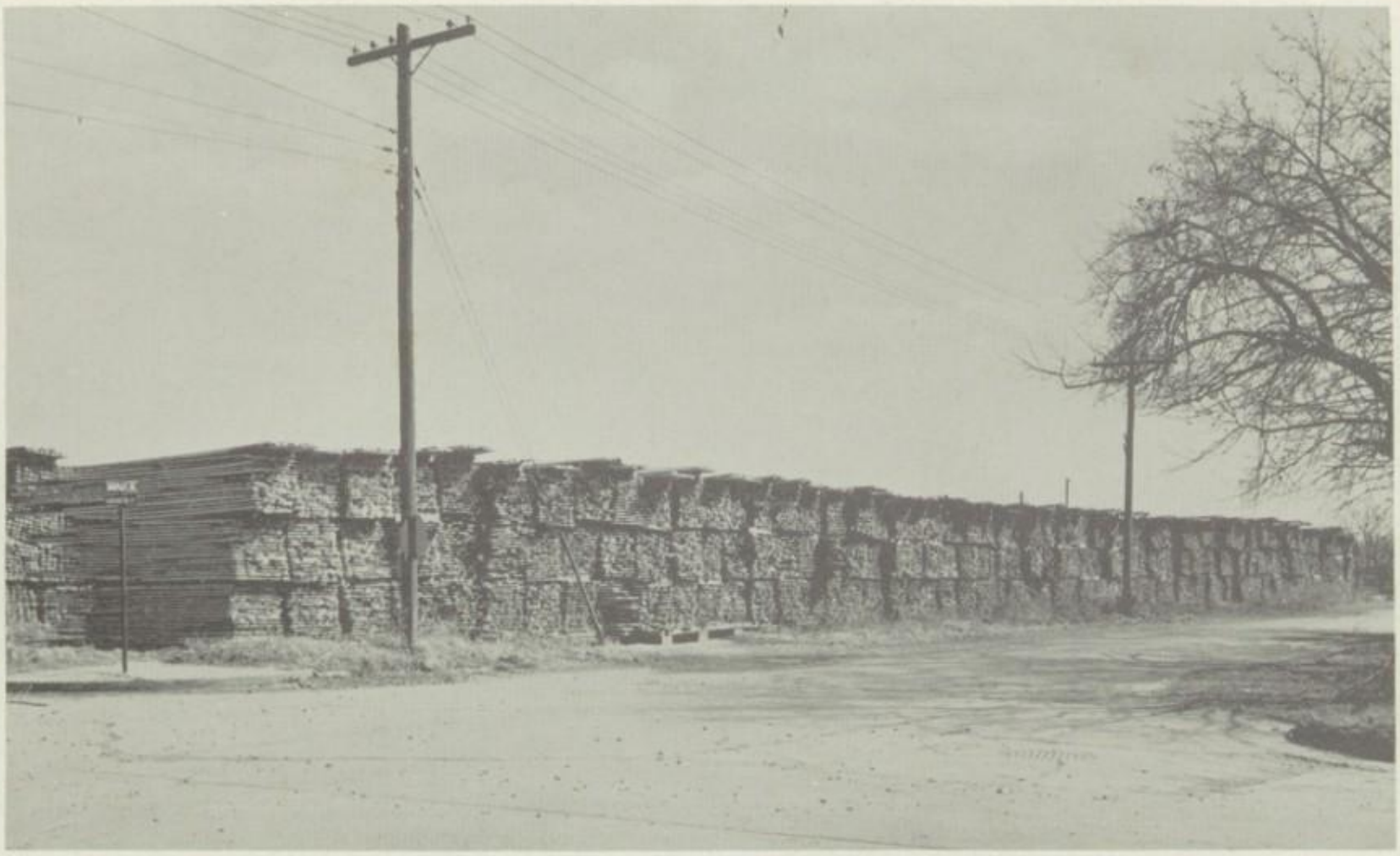

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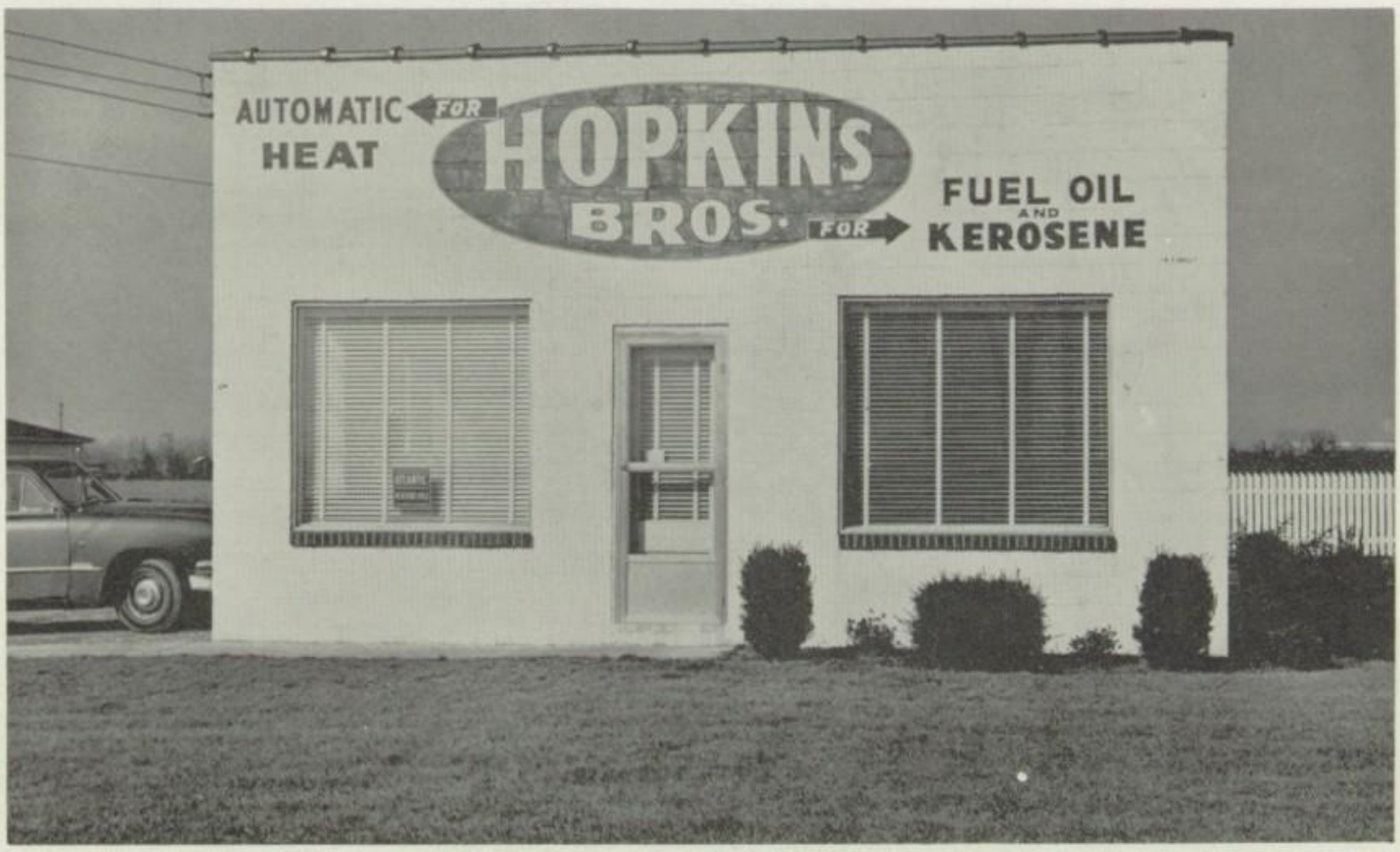

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